

# BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. Are you out of work? If so read the Tracy Bros. Co.'s ad. They want carpenters and brick-layers. They give steady employment.

Bug death by the pound or hundred weight at Wm. C. Leavitt Co's.

There is a saving of 50 per cent. or more, in the garment department at Thomas Smiley's.

Persian insect powder at Noyes Drug Store.

Rice dune perfection, new style, at Wm. C. Leavitt Co's.

Money to loan on diamonds, watches, jewelry, pianos and furniture. Highest price paid for old gold and silver. Licensed Broker, lock box 103, telephone 1-4, Norway, Me. 26tf

Excellent bargains in hammocks and croquet sets at F. R. Stone's.

Do you want history for yourself or children? Try Thomas Smiley's.

Smuggler scythes, best to be had, at Wm. C. Leavitt Co's.

If you are troubled with black flies or mosquitoes, try Sanborn's black fly cream at Stone's Pharmacy.

Gay Bartlett at Opera House next Saturday night.

"The Runaway Match" at Opera House next Saturday evening. 25, 25 and 50 cents and seats on sale at Stone's.

Flat wick oil stoves at Wm. C. Leavitt Co's.

Money saving days in the suit department at Thomas Smiley's.

Get your poisons snuff Paris green, bug death, white hellebore and insect powder at Stone's, to protect your plants and vegetables from insects.

Special prices on millinery now at Mrs. G. A. Allen's.

Haying tools at Wm. C. Leavitt Co's.

Men's army shoes for \$2.50 at the E. N. Sweet Shoe Co., successors to Smiley Shoe Store, Norway.

Special sale in garments and suits at Thomas Smiley's.

New style ice chests, four sizes, at Wm. C. Leavitt Co's.

Fly paper at Noyes Drug Store.

We are selling our Evangeline russet Sox for \$2. The E. N. Sweet Shoe Co., successors to Smiley Shoe Store, Norway.

Mark-down sale of children's dresses at Thomas Smiley's.

Paris green at Noyes Drug Store.

Dr. Parmenter, eye specialist, has added a jewelry department to his present optical business and has engaged Mr. Axtell of New York city, an expert watch and clock repairer. Swiss watches and French clocks a specialty. Repeater watches solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed in all repair work. All work promptly attended to at reasonable prices. New genuine material used in all repair work. No substituting old cast off parts for new. Headquarters for diamonds, watches, clocks and all kinds of jewelry. Also silversware of all descriptions. Yours respectfully, Dr. Parmenter.

Cattle oil 50c a gallon at Noyes Drug Store.

A money saving sale—more regarding it in Thomas Smiley's advertisement today.

Ice cream freezers, two, three, four, six and eight quart, at Wm. C. Leavitt Co's.

Lubricating oils at Noyes Drug Store.

Radcliffe vs. Bryant's Pond.

Next Saturday afternoon the Radcliffes will play ball with the Bryant's Pond at 2 o'clock on the Fair grounds.

Mrs. Ernest Turner is visiting her father at Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand Harmon are in Portland on a vacation.

Annie Gibson left Monday for a visit with friends in Colebrook, N. H.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Andrews is at her cottage at Old Orchard for the summer.

Mrs. Edna Madison of Portland is visiting relatives in Norway and Watford.

Agnes Sabornie is at her father's D. S. Sabornie's, for the long vacation, from her school in Portland.

The Epworth League will have their business meeting and social next Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Whitman will assist Mrs. Bradbury in the choir in Universalist church, next Sunday morning.

Prof. Leffert is doing writing at W. F. Jones' law office during his summer vacation from Hebron school, where he is teaching.

The Heywood Club will hold an ice cream sale at W. F. Young's, Friday evening, July 13th, if pleasant; if stormy, Saturday evening.

Geo. W. Newcomb and wife of Bridgeton, visited his brother Thomas, at his home on Ferncroft Hill, Friday. Little Amy Lester is visiting her grandpa at the same place.

Dr. H. H. Nevers and wife of Bingham, La. C. Smith, Mrs. E. A. Carr, Herbert Carr and wife of Waltham, Mass., and Arthur Douglass of Bethel, visited at A. K. Hill's, Saturday.

The heavy shower of Tuesday night did not prevent the members of the Professional whist club from meeting at the cottage of Charles Riddon, by the lake. Nearly all the members were present and the evening was much enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Horne and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Horne spent Wednesday at the cottage of Dr. W. A. Drake. Others who are stopping at this cottage are Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Drake and son, Mr. and Mrs. Terry and daughter of North Weymouth, Mass., and Florence Horne of Portland.

A few friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest D. Thurston, July 8th, to spend a social hour and listen to selections on the graphophone, it being Mrs. Thurston's birthday. The day was beautiful and the visitors preferred sitting on the lawn. Ice cream, cake and lemonade were served. Mrs. Thurston was the happy recipient of several useful and valuable gifts, which she will esteem most highly, feeling as she does that every gift is laden with the good will of the donor.

Elmer O. K. Waterhouse and wife of Danvers, Mass., are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity. He originally lived at Greenwood City. Some 20 years ago they lived in the house now owned by H. J. Bangs. Mr. Waterhouse is now making in Danvers. His daughter Mildred has grown up and was recently married. He stopped in town on his way from Poland where his mother is buried, to visit friends here. He is stopping with his brother, Fred Waterhouse of Bethel. They return home the last of this week.

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## One Ring Circus, Mammoth Animal Show.

A. F. Wheeler's model shows will be here next Monday and will give two performances—2 o'clock and 8 p. m. Admission, adults 25 and children 15 cents. You will miss it if you don't see this show. Prof. Perrine, the lion tamer, who was injured some two weeks ago at Phillips, is expected to be able to give his usual performance with the lion. Big street parade at about noon or a little before.

## "Lest We Forget."

According to our usual custom, the W. R. C. observed Sunday, July 8, as "Memorial Day," in which to show the honor and respect due those faithful members who have passed on to answer to the "Roll Call" above. Eight graves were decorated with flowers in Pine Grove cemetery, and one in Rustfield. At the close of this service fitting words were spoken concerning the observance of this day, that not alone from a sense of duty, sacred though that duty may be, but it was a tribute from loyal hearts who have entered into the life triumphant. Prayer was offered by the president, Mrs. Levi Shedd, followed by the Lord's Prayer, in which all united.

## Professionals vs. Shoe Foreman.

A game of ball will be played Friday on the Fair Grounds at 5 p. m. between two picked nines. The defeated side will pay for a supper or banquet at the Bear's Hotel on next Monday evening. The teams are made up of Norway Professional men and Norway Shoe Factory Foremen.

**Professionals.**  
Chas. P. Balazs, 1b.  
Frank Kimball, 2b.  
Dr. N. Barker, 3b.  
Dr. H. L. Sweet, ss.  
Dr. T. Hurd, cf.  
J. W. Barker, lf.  
Fred Lafriere, cf.  
Dr. E. A. Sheehy, p.  
Dr. H. H. Nevers, c.  
**Shoe Foremen.**  
E. A. Goudy, 1b.  
E. Allen, 2b.  
Chas. Pratt, 3b.  
E. R. Hurd, ss.  
H. Glidden, cf.  
J. W. Barker, lf.  
John Sheehy, lf.  
E. Buckley, p.  
C. A. Bradley, ss.

L. I. Gilbert was in Portland, Tuesday.

Jane Dudley is visiting at Charles Allen's.

George H. Bennett was in Portland, Sunday.

Mrs. Josiah Stone is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Henry at South Paris.

Annie Simonton has gone to Poland campground to spend the rest of her vacation.

Florence Smardon of Portland spent last week with Marjorie and Irene Locke.

George O. Bennett has had a telephone put in at his residence. Number 113-12.

Maud Pike is spending a few days at the cottage in the pines on the shore of the lake.

Florence Rideout has returned from a very pleasant visit to Josephine Stearns at Lovell.

A. H. Kenerson was in town last week and returned to the Rangeley Lakes, Saturday.

Bernice Walker of Livermore Falls, daughter of Dean Walker, is visiting friends in town.

Edward A. Axtell of New York city, an expert watch and clock repairer has taken charge of Dr. Parmenter's jewelry department.

Mrs. Charles M. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. William Phelps of Portland, are the guests of Mrs. Morgan's brother, George W. Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. James Corbett and two children of Berlin, N. H. visited Mrs. Corbett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solon Moore, one day last week.

Mrs. Fred Perry carried the mail on her husband's route, R. F. D. 2, Tuesday. She drove into the village on time in a pouring thunder shower.

Among those who went on the excursion to Old Orchard, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. A. Butters, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Frost and Minnie Frost.

Elbridge Walker handed in a curio in the shape of a crown of eight strawberries on one stem. Each berry was perfectly formed and about of a size.

The little baby of Prof. Robert N. Millett of Hanover, Mass., has been very sick with whooping cough and at one time his life was despaired of. He is now a little better.

C. O. Crocker has just completed setting a hot blast wood furnace in Horace S. Perry's residence at Norway Lake, and is now putting a Clarion Oak coal furnace in F. H. Hurd's house.

Norway village people as far as we have heard favor a playground for the children. If there are any who have good grounds for objection, we would like to hear the objection.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith of Presque Isle are spending their vacation in town. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were Norway boat and girl and educated in our public schools. Mr. Smith is a successful lawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stough of Logansport, Ind., are visiting relatives in this vicinity. They with Myrtle Bacon were at C. M. Smith's the latter part of last week. Mrs. Stough is a daughter of Isaac T. Bacon, formerly of Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gurney and daughter, of Newark, N. J., were visitors at Mrs. Levi Shedd's the past week. Also Mr. and Mrs. James Bonnett of East Boston, Bessie Whitman of Greenwood and Misses Dexter and Tuell, of West Paris.

A meeting of the base ball enthusiasts of Norway, was held at Engine house hall, Monday evening, July 9. A temporary organization was effected to arrange a game for Saturday, July 14. Another meeting will be held on Friday evening, July 13, to organize a permanent association and elect officers. Every one interested in to matter of having a ball team in Norway is invited to be present.

Guthill & Merrill of North Bethel, are doing a good business with their merry-go-round in Norway, on Whitman street. It is a great attraction for the boys and girls. They came here from Berlin, N. H., where they did a big business. They go from here to Mechanic Falls, next week. They do not intend to close their season till well into the fall, but will go to the different villages in this section.

## The Heywood Club.

The Heywood Club met July 6th, with Mrs. Addie Hill, at the home of Mrs. John Stevens in Paris. A goodly number of the club members were present and after a short business session, enjoyed a very pleasant social hour. Mrs. Hill proved herself a fine hostess, and Mrs. Stevens was very entertaining, and all were glad to be so opportunely to meet her. Though acquainted with sorrow, yet she believes in having a smile and a cheerful word for everyone. She is worthy in every way of the respect and esteem we all felt for her and we wish we might meet her often.

## "A Runaway Match."

The Elmina Telegram says of Percy C. Peck's new comedy, "A Runaway Match," that comes to the Norway Opera House, Saturday, July 14. "The piece played to good business at both matinee and night performances, and the attraction pleased." "A Runaway Match" bears a strong family resemblance to other Peck comedies. It tells all things on comical personalities, possess plenty of action and require a strong company to tell the story. The three acts are filled with lively doings and the audience had frequent occasion to laugh and laugh heartily at that. Seats now on sale at Stone's Drug Store.

## Circus day, Monday.

Freeland Howe, Jr., is in Boston for a few days.

Mrs. Elmyra Bicknell is nursing at Bryant's Pond.

Leah Weatherbee is visiting in Berlin, N. H., this week.

Edie Frost from Boston is visiting her Norway friends.

Mrs. T. P. Richardson is visiting her son in Lynn, Mass.

Benj. B. Bicknell is visiting his brother, W. A. Bicknell.

John Swain has spent several days at his cottage on Pike hill.

Grace Holden of Acton, Mass. is the guest of Nellie Andrews.

Mrs. Washburn of Boston, is at her brother's, Justin Motley's, in Paris.

There will be a rose dance at Central Park this Saturday evening.

Lizzie M. Rideout of Garland is the guest of Rev. B. S. Rideout.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hills of Union, recently visited at W. W. Hill's.

Mr. M. E. Carsey is over to Will Newcomb's, Albany, for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hazleton of Watford spent a few days in town, last week.

Mrs. George P. Locke and children are visiting friends and relatives in Portland.

Dr. E. A. Sheehy is to attend the meeting of the Maine Dentists at Kineo, next week.

Dr. DeWitt Parmenter has rented the Crocker place at Steep Falls and moved his family in.

Mrs. I. P. Cobb and Mrs. Jennie Bennett have purchased a cottage at Poland campground.

Harry Russell, who has been at work for William Holt at North Norway, has returned home.

Hazel Bennett, who has been visiting in Portland the past two weeks, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howe of Bryant's Pond visited at Rev. Charles Brooks', over the Sabbath.

Mrs. Hannah Billings spent a few days last week with her brother, Stephen Rowe of Bryant's Pond.

Dennis Pike has the double tenement house which he is building on Paris street nearly completed.

George Robinson, Lillian Palmer and Bertha Carter spent Sunday at Ira Hariman's, Fore street, Oxford.

W. B. Redding is painting his house on Paris street. H. A. Proctor of West Sumner is working with him.

C. L. Hathaway has been building a new chimney at the old Hathaway block, for the Norway Hand Laundry.

Sefton Bennett, who has been working for George H. Bennett, has gone to work for John Lohan at Greenwood.

E. Lester Lohan and Marguerite Finney are Mr. Cowan's home, Dr. C. F. Cowan's at West Hampden, this week.

E. R. Chabourn of Melrose, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. S. Rideout. Mr. Chabourn is a newspaper correspondent.

The Methodist church has organized a primary department in their Sunday school. Mrs. Janie Wheeler is superintendent and Clara Connor assistant.

The small bookish horn and hurdy gurdy was in town, Wednesday, and was passed by a one armed man and music entertained the children and others.

James Pledge, J. B. Robinson and others are working their trotters on the Fair Grounds track. We shall expect to see and hear from these horses at the fall races.

All those who have contributed towards the purchase of the Old Ladies' Home have received their money in full. The house was purchased by Ellsworth Young.

T. L. Heath and crew of men are soon to put in split stone abutments for a 20 ft. span stone bridge over the outlet brook from Bear pond, South Watford, and another one at North Watford, for a steel bridge over Crooked river.

School-closed in Holt district June 21, the 22 there was an entertainment in the evening, on the programme were a few of the scholars and some outside the school. Edna Cox and John Frank furnished music. After the entertainment there was a sale of ice cream and cake.

The Advertiser friends are remembering the office with flowers this summer. Roses and pond lilies, and a wild flower from Harrison that we have seen of the spring of such mate to name, have made the office cheerful this week, and the editor better natured. Don't you notice it in the paper?

Advertised Letters, Norway.

Mrs. O. R. Brown, Mrs. Mary Dexter, Horatio B. Hammond, Fred R. R. Stevens, Ruth Killings, D. W. Stevens, W. H. Stevens, Mrs. Nellie Thayer, Laura P. Trull, Mr. J. & Mrs. C. Conley.

In calling for the above please ask for advertised letters. One cent due on advertised letters.

## Norway Municipal Court.

Forrest Hall, a 13-year-old Oxford boy was before Judge Davis, Tuesday, for riding on the sidewalk at South Paris. He paid \$1.

George W. Stone.

The death of George W. Stone, an aged and highly respected citizen, occurred at his home on Summer street, Wednesday morning. He was born May 8, 1820, and for the past 20 years has resided in Norway. Other places where he has lived are Watford, Albany and Leominster, Mass.

Although not a member of any church he has always been a church-going man, attending the Congregational church.

His wife was Mary A. Jordan of Albany. They have had nine children, seven of whom survive him. Charles H. of Albany; Herbert D. of Sweden; James A. George F., William H., Emma F., and Anna M., of Norway. Besides these he leaves ten grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held from his home, Friday, at 10 o'clock. Rev. B. S. Rideout officiating.

H. B. Foster is in Byron on business. Fred Brown of Portland was in town the first of a week.

A much needed new plank sidewalk is being laid on Pearl street.

F. A. Danforth has sold his cottage on the Lake to Capt. C. C. Tribou of South Paris.

Wm. C. Leavitt is painting his store outside, and papering and repairing the upstairs' tenement.

Mrs. L. M. Longley and children, Forrest, Doris and Adabelle, are soon to visit New Hampshire.

There will be a vaudeville entertainment, given by home talent, at Central Park this Thursday evening.

Late Assembly, Pythian Sisterhood, will install their officers the 14th evening. Refreshments will be served. A large attendance is expected.

"The Runaway Match" at the Opera House next Saturday evening. It's one of the most popular comedies on the road. It has had great success in every town where played. Seats on sale at Stone's.

## SOUTH PARIS.

Accident at Grain Mill.

Friday noon there was an accident at Shurtliff's grain mill, fortunately no one was hurt. The corn bin on the second floor of the building broke through two floors. R. N. Hall was just coming through the outside door, within six feet of the wreckage which would have buried him if it had struck him.

The bin was a large square one, taking up half the width of the building. The floor was new and supported by new hemlock timbers. But with five or six hundred bushels of corn in the bin the weight proved too much and the timbers broke off letting the entire section of the floor through. On a portion of the floor directly below was a large number of barrels of flour and sacks of bran. Adding to the weight of the bin, corn which fell from the floor above was too much and a section of the first floor gave way, and the whole was dumped in the cellar.

The Fourth at Paris.

There was nothing sensational or unduly exciting here. There was a little more noise than usual.

During the day there was the Grand Army picnic which the weather drove into the hall. Dinner was served there and an address given in the afternoon by Rev. J. H. Little. A large number of people attended the celebration at Norway.

Albertha Andrews of Lovell is the guest of friends here.

Fannie Hersey of Buckfield called on friends here Thursday.

Grace Murphy is visiting friends in Locke's Mills this week.

Seward Stearns is now employed in the store of W. L. Farrar.

Mrs. J. H. Little is beginning to improve, but is not able to sit up yet.

A union picnic of the four Sunday Schools is being gotten up.

Mary Louise Phelps of Portland is visiting Mrs. Alice P. Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perkins are visiting his sister, Mrs. S. S. Rideout.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. L. Buck.

Rev. A. O. Baldwin recently returned from a visit to Boston and vicinity.

Jena Leighton of Bangor is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. O. Frothingham.

George A. Bolster of Albion, Mich., is visiting his father, Capt. H. N. Bolster.

F. Wendall Rounds has recently entertained his classmate, Fred Swan of Boston.

E. N. Anderson, who returned from the hospital at Portland is gaining rapidly.

Mrs. E. W. Pierce and daughter Alice, are on a visit to relatives in Canton, N. Y.

Mrs. J. J. Hayden and daughter Amy, of Haverhill, Mass., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ordway spent the Fourth at their cottage at Poland Campground.

Mrs. John Akers of Errol, N. H., made a short visit to her son, Mr. I. F. Evans.

Mabel A. Hayes of Auburn was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alton C. Wheeler last week.

Rev. H. A. Clifford will hold a meeting at the Biscoe school house next Sunday afternoon.

The work of repairing the house of Walter P. Maxim, that was damaged in the fire, has just begun.

Rev. J. H. Little was called to Brunswick, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of a former parishioner.

The Hubbard house on Paris Hill will be closed Sunday on account of the illness of Mrs. Hubbard.

Mrs. J. A. Kenney returned last Thursday from an extended visit with relatives at Epping, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barrows of Waltham, Mass., are the guests of Mr. Barrows' father, F. A. Barrows.

Rev. Herbert R. Purlington of Lewiston preached an excellent sermon at the Congregational church, Sunday.

## Prof. Wright's Concert.

The closing concert of Prof. Wright's singing class will be given Thursday evening at New hall. Prof. Wright and his chorus will be assisted by the Schubert quartet, also by F. E. Tower, Mr. Dunn and Mrs. B. F. Bradbury of Norway. The program:

Morning Serenade—Steffin.....Chorus  
Solo and chorus, Far from Home—Steffin.....Chorus  
Solo—Selected.....Jesse Tolme  
Sailing on the Sea—Steffin.....Chorus  
Duet—Selected.....Frank S. Pike W. S. Wright  
Our Baby Boy—Hopping.....Chorus  
Partido chorus—Steffin.....Mr. F. E. Tower  
Solo—Selected.....Mrs. A. V. Bradbury  
Double chorus—Singing Song—Pisuth.....Mrs. Wilson, Miss Thayer, Mrs. Stanley, Mrs. Stover, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Pike, Mr. Baldwin,  
Solo, Grand Vocal Medley.....Frank S. Pike  
Quartet, Carmen.....Schubert Quartet  
Solo, Grand song—Kate Yarnum, Sue Wheeler  
Solo, Song of the Forge—Fenton.....W. S. Wright  
Oh My Little Like a Red, Red Rose—Garrett.....Chorus  
Anthem, Wake the Song of Jubilee—Steffin.....Chorus

Mrs. Evelina A. Jackson.

Monday evening occurred the death of Mrs. Evelina A. Jackson of South Paris in Lewiston, where she had been taken to the C. M. G. hospital about two weeks ago, after an illness of fully a year's duration.

Mrs. Jackson was seventy-nine years of age. She was born in Minot,



### SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

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None suffer in the face of evidence like this:

Mrs. Almira A. Jackson, of East Front St., Traverse City, Mich., says: "For twenty years I was doctoring for kidney and liver trouble, but without benefit. Just before I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was almost paralyzed."

Doan's Kidney Pills I was almost paralyzed. I could hardly stand on my feet because of the numbness and the pain in my back. My sleep was disturbed by visions of distorted figures. The kidney secretions were annoyingly irregular, and I was tortured with thirst and always bloated. I used seven boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills. The bloating subsided until I weighed 100 pounds less, could sleep like a child and was relieved of the pain and the irregularity of the kidney action. My circulation is good and I feel better in every way."

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A CALL FOR YOUR BILL.

We wish all who do work for the Town of Paris on the Highway would present their bill to the Selectmen in his section of the town every Saturday. We want to give the order and have the work on our books.

So, Paris, July 5-06. SELECTMEN OF PARIS.

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J. F. BOLSTER, Norway, Me.

Has a large supply of Italian and American Marble and all kinds of Granite for Tablets, Headstones, Monuments, etc. Prices reasonable. Call on him or send him a postal card. Shop on Lynn St.

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Over Stone's Drug Store, NORWAY.

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Mrs. Gertrude McAllister has been visiting at Arthur Meserve's.

Mrs. B. G. Molitor has been very ill, but is a little better. She has a trained nurse from Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McIntire have returned to Fryburg to visit their brother, Ira Johnson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Merrill and the daughter from Lovell have been here and at North Norway visiting relatives and friends.

Hon. William B. Skelton of Lewiston, has been appointed tax examiner, to succeed Hon. Fremont E. Timberlake of Phillips.

Mr. Timberlake is to go into the bond brokerage business in Portland, under the firm name of Timberlake & Webb.

"Doan's Ointment" cured me of eczema that had annoyed me a long time. The cure was slower Labor Statistics, August, Me., 72-0.

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## Before the Drawing.

Billings, Montana, July 1, 1906.

I left Bethel with my son, Guy, Sunday, June 17, to the drawing of this Crow and Shoshone Government Land Reservation. We were five days and four nights on the cars. As we came through the Bad Lands, we saw 100 head of cattle lay dead along by the rail road fence, where they had died for the want of water. The government is constructing canals to irrigate this land.



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### RED SEAL

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Your interest and the painter's are identical. A well-painted surface will keep, crack or blister, however skillfully laid on. The result for you is an early expenditure for repainting, and for him a discredited reputation.

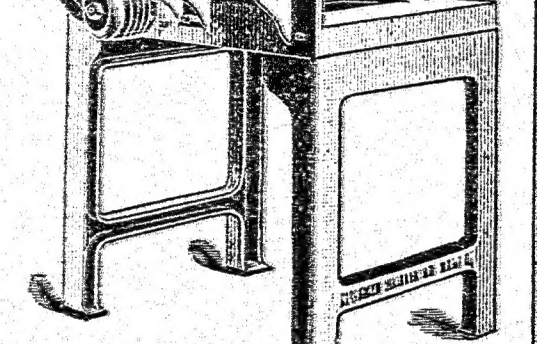
Send for a booklet containing several valuable suggestions for a color scheme in painting your house. A test paint party is also given.

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Merchant—We have assisted hundreds to become prosperous merchants, with a permanent business of their own, by selling property in large quantities from 5c to 25c per pound for finest imported; write for price list and price list and information. IMPORTERS: BRANDELL, Ltd., 100 N. Washington St., Boston; 141 Chancery St., New York; 26 Lombard St., London. Established 22 years.

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For the next 30 days, I shall sell all grades at fifty off list price.

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Window Screens, Screen Doors, Bug Death, Paris Green, Men's Work and Dress Shirts, Hosiery for men, women, boys and girls. Women's black and white Fabric Gloves. Women's black and white Silk Petticoats.

## People Who Pay Largest Taxes.

Oxford.

The town of Oxford has only a few heavy tax payers.

Robinson Mfg. Co. \$1,128.00  
John B. Robinson 215.20  
Geo. O. Robinson 85.80  
C. O. Davis 120.40  
P. H. Hayes 130.15  
Mrs. C. E. Fisher 130.15  
Mrs. S. W. Wellington 198.81

Non-Resident.  
Clutter & Irish 232.00

Upton.

List of heavy taxpayers of the town for the year 1906.

Emoch Abbott 33.21  
H. I. Abbott 38.04  
J. E. Brooks 41.21  
Chas. Chase 32.35  
E. C. Chase 34.05  
J. O. Douglass 34.05  
Henry Egan 37.13  
F. O. Godwin 20.70  
W. W. Jenkins 30.23  
Mrs. L. A. West 30.23  
Silas F. Peaslee 40.82  
Mrs. L. A. West 35.35  
P. J. West 30.20  
Paul L. West 75.88

Non-Resident.  
Berlin Mills Co. 41.20  
T. U. Coe 229.26  
David Pingree and others 738.73  
CHAS. CHASE, Collector.

Hanover.

Names of taxpayers who pay over \$30.

Martha Bartlett 57.76  
J. D. Kimball 45.85  
A. T. Powers 36.64  
J. C. Roberts 44.84  
J. B. Roberts 55.55  
L. A. Roberts 55.55  
L. F. Russell 55.55  
H. A. Staples 55.55  
G. L. Smith 55.55  
A. T. Powers, Collector.

Newry.

Taxes of persons in town paying a tax of \$30 or more.

J. S. Allen 50.54  
C. D. Bean 30.22  
C. A. Baker 31.28  
S. A. James 33.40  
William George 36.28  
H. S. Hastings 31.20  
A. V. Jackson 35.30  
J. W. Kilgore 42.06  
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O. P. Littlefield 37.86  
W. F. Small 38.96  
E. Thurston 55.18  
M. L. Thurston 55.18  
L. J. Trask 55.18  
W. A. Warren 55.18

Non-Resident.  
American Realty Co. 154.80  
Umbridge Paper Co. 164.00  
Seth Brock 67.50  
A. E. Barker, heirs of 40.00  
Mrs. Martha Bartlett 32.50  
W. Mason 48.00  
Eli F. Stearns 73.10  
Seth Walker 125.30  
Don C. Smith, Collector.

Bryon.

List of persons paying \$30 taxes or over.

Geo. R. Easton 57.10  
John Ho. phon 56.25  
E. E. Knapp 36.50  
E. G. Knapp 36.50  
J. A. Fraser 36.50  
Reuben Richmond 62.50  
E. E. Shaw 44.00  
Geo. F. Thomas 34.00  
S. W. Thomas 32.45

Non-Resident.  
Umbridge Paper Co. \$1,220.00  
Bartlett, Virginia & Stearns 30.00  
Swain & Reed 105.60  
R. F. & L. E. 20.00  
Richmond Mfg. Co. 30.00  
Rate 3 per cent.

F. D. Abbott, Collector.

Brownfield.

Heavy tax payers.

Herbert B. Bartlett 54.29  
Albert Blake 68.37  
W. C. Blackford 55.50  
Eli B. Bean 49.30  
L. A. Bradbury 55.70  
J. C. Clement 55.13  
Chas. H. Duggins 12.44  
Stillman J. Duggins 46.51  
S. E. Eaton 61.02  
L. R. Giles 251.92  
Chas. E. Hill 157.92  
A. R. Hill 165.23  
Thos. Hartman 14.57  
Samuel E. Spring 74.57  
E. A. G. Stickney 129.32  
E. D. Walker 124.45  
Geo. W. Wakefield 49.47

Non-Resident.  
S. M. Hobson 51.29  
A. C. Kennet 122.25  
ALMON F. JOHNSON, Treasurer and Collector.

Albany.

List of taxpayers of Albany of \$35 and over.

Abel Andrews 52.30  
C. G. Beokier 60.21  
L. H. Burdman 250.50  
W. E. Cummings 46.10  
Geo. 46.10  
C. D. Connor 46.10  
W. Chadbourne 46.10  
P. F. Dresser 52.08  
F. L. Edwards 172.25  
C. H. Fernald 41.65  
Chas. Grover 41.65  
W. E. Harrick 41.65  
Austin Hutchinson 51.16  
J. F. Lord 110.16  
J. F. Scribner 51.16  
Elias Thomas 53.04  
Eben Kilbourn 62.40  
Hastings Bros. 53.30  
Paris Mfg. Co. 62.90  
Elliot & Bartlett 284.00  
Mason & Edwards 52.00  
GEORGE CUMMINGS, Collector.

NORTHWEST ALBANY.

Drags Galore.

G. B. Mills and G. M. Rolfe are very busy making stone drags. They have a contract for one thousand.

E. W. Rolfe has had a crew working on the road.

Mrs. C. W. Rolfe has visited her son, G. M. Rolfe.

Hersey Saunders has returned to his home at North Waterford.

Little Elva Rolfe went to Gorham, N. H., Sunday, with her grandmother, Mrs. G. B. Mills.

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E. W. Rolfe and Frank Foster are taking down the barn on the place owned by the late Sylvanus Bennett, now owned by Dr. Twiddle.

Mrs. Wm. H. Mason has returned from Oxford, where she has been visiting her brother, J. F. Patton. She also visited her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Saunders, on her return home, at North Waterford.

Mrs. Charles Horne and children of Rumford have visited Mrs. George Rolfe.

Hersey Saunders of North Waterford has visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mason. Mrs. Little Harriman of Norway, has visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bennett. Eva Seabury has visited her aunt, Mrs. E. Bell at West Bethel.

The 38th annual State Sunday school convention will be held at Camden, Oct. 16, 17 and 18. Each school in the State is entitled to two delegates in addition to the pastor of the church, and these delegates must be chosen by the schools not later than Oct. 1, and their names sent to the chairman of the entertainment committee in Camden.

The fourth of July horse races at the Rumford driving park were declared off because of the rain. The dance on the spring beard was also omitted.

## WEST PARIS.

Additional Facts of the Dedication.

At the dedication of the new Universalist church by noon it was evident that a large number of visitors and friends were intending to be present, as by train and team over one hundred had gathered in and about the church. No exact estimate could be made, but at dinner and supper about 300 were served, and at the services during the afternoon and evening the church was crowded to its utmost.

A large delegation came from Bethel, Gorham and Berlin as well as those from all the near by towns. The afternoon dedication service:

Organ Voluntary.....Delia H. Lane  
Hymn.....Choir and congregation  
Prayer.....Rev. J. H. Little  
Scripture, John 11.....Rev. D. A. Ball  
Antiphon, Oh how amiable, Barab.....Choir: L. M. Irish, solo; Mrs. C. H. Bates, soprano; Mrs. L. M. Irish, alto; H. R. Tuell, bass.

Dedication sermon.....Rev. E. C. Boies who spoke in his usual able and eloquent manner. His text was Phil. 2:16, the temple emphasized, Holding forth the Word of Life.

Hymn.....Congregation  
Address.....Rev. F. E. Barton this was a brief historical sketch of the society. Mr. Barton then led in a responsive reading and dedication by the people.

Prayer.....Rev. C. A. Hayden  
Response, Holy Father, send thy blessing.....Choir  
Benediction.....Choir

The evening service was devoted to the installation of Rev. Isabelle Stirling MacDuff, pastor of the church. The invocation was given by Rev. A. D. Coling which followed.

Hymn, Scripture reading from II Cor. 13:14, sermon by Rev. Mr. Ball.

Sermon of installation.....Rev. Mr. Ball  
Prayer of installation.....Rev. S. G. Davis  
Response, Savior like a Shepherd lead us.....Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Irish  
Address to pastor.....Rev. W. V. Taylor  
Address to parish.....Rev. J. H. Little  
Welcome to the State.....Rev. F. E. Barton  
Hymn.....Congregation  
Benediction.....Rev. Isabelle S. MacDuff  
Ushers for both services were C. Everett Chase and Clarence L. Ridlon.

Mrs. W. G. Hammond has been visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Susie Hammond Walker of Gorham has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Nellie Hammond.

Helen Campbell of New Haven, Conn., has been spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Bates.

On Wednesday evening, July 11, a reception was held in Good Will hall in honor of the pastor, Miss MacDuff.

Daniel Shaw of Portland and a crew of telephone help have been repairing the New England telephone lines in this vicinity.

Seventeen new books have recently been added to the West Paris public library. They are mostly books interesting to boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ricker of Fallmouth visited his parents over last Sunday. Mrs. A. J. Ricker is sick with an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. J. F. Emerson and Mrs. Fred Scott were guests of Mr. Clara Ridlon, during the church dedication and remained until Saturday.

Rev. Isabelle S. MacDuff began her pastorate of the Universalist church last Sunday, July 1. Regular preaching service will be held each Sunday at 11:30 with Sunday school immediately after in Good Will hall.

Lincoln Holmes has hired the stable belonging to the Morgan building occupied as a store by G. A. Smith and opened up July 4 as a board and livery stable. He will keep four driving horses and equipments and two work horses for jobbing and his own farm work.

**BUCKFIELD.**

To Camp at Norway Lake.

Iva Gardner, Fanny Hersey, Mrs. R. Morrill, Mrs. Healey Rawson, perhaps others, started for Norway Lake, to camp out, Monday morning.

We presume they arrived all right, though they met with a hitch a short distance out.

Warren Shaw is at home from Geneva, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellingwood are improving.

Walter Ellingwood has sold his place to Harry Holmes.

Mrs. Stanley Benson has arrived home from Deerling, her husband coming from Boston, Monday.

Foy Gammon, wife and mother of Farmington, have recently visited her relatives here.

Mrs. Shirley Hall, who is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hall, has had a lady friend visiting her.

C. S. Childs has bought a fancy colt of Frank Barrett of Lookout farm in Summer. T. H. Hunt has a promising two year old. Enos and C. M. Reald have some good ones. Paul Jordan is teaming them. Geo. Record has some speedy ones. Orison Jordan and others of Auburn, were in town Monday, talking horse.

**WEST PERU.**

Bertha Goggin is home from Oldtown, for the summer vacation.

John Putnam and Mell Lovejoy are each building a new house.

Geo. Hall has a young deer, he found it in the pasture with his coveys.

A new iron bridge has been placed over Spear stream, near James Gowell's.

Mrs. Hattie Walker of Rumford Falls, called on several of her old neighbors recently.

Sadie Colcord, a teacher in Auburn, recently spent several days at E. E. Demeritt's.

West Peru grange held a special all day meeting June 30, to celebrate the end of the contest just held.

Mrs. Melissa Kidder has returned from Auburn. Her son, Leslie Brackett, and his children are stopping with her.

Roscoe Knight and wife from Rumford Point and Mrs. Drury Topping of Reading, Pa., spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Emma Austin.

**OTISFIELD.**

Mrs. E. M. Cain has been in Boston for a short time.

There promises to be a large crop this season in this vicinity.

Children's day was observed at Spurr's Corner, Sunday, July 1.  
Edna J. Robinson was graduated from Bates College, and has returned home.  
Delia E. Weston has gone to Brookfield, Colorado, where she is to spend two months.  
Una Holden of Acton, Mass., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Robinson.

## WEST FRYEBURG.

Summer Cooking School.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hill are expected to occur their summer home and open the summer school for cooking and the supervision of Mrs. Hill. (Janet McKenzie.) Among the pupils attending this school last summer were parties from so far away as Texas.

Dr. L. C. Manchester and wife of Lowell, Mass., with their family, are at their summer home, Camp Kear on the Ridge road.

Ellis McKee, Tommy Hutchins, Calista Andrews and Louise Ballard are home from Fryeburg Academy for the summer vacation.

Henry Roberts has taken a building contract in North Conway and removed with his family to that place, closing his house for the season.

R. B. Hill and wife have returned to their home in Massachusetts. During their month's stay in the charming summer home of Mr. Hill's parents they entertained two brothers of Mrs. Hill.

Mrs. Howard Jones and son, Walter, of Bridgton, are spending two weeks with relatives in this section.

Mrs. W. P. Chandler and little boys of Bridgton have been at Mrs. Chandler's parental home, J. A. Jones'.

Mrs. Frank L. Eastman and lady visitor have been guests of relatives in Kearsarge, N. H., for some days.

Mrs. W. M. Farrington has returned home from a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Westcott, at Kearsarge, N. H.

Mrs. S. N. Stevens has gone to "Fairview," Lovell, to assist in the culinary department of that famous boarding house.

W. R. Sturdivant has returned to his home here, being summoned to Cumberland on the decease of his sister, Mrs. Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stevens have gone for a year's employment at Nottingham, N. H. Mr. Stevens has improved of his lameness in the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Stevens of Conway, N. H. spent a night at Mrs. S. N. Stevens' on their way to North Conway, to visit his sister. Mr. Stevens was a former resident in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mead of Bridgton and Mrs. Mead's sister of Newton, Mass. are spending their vacation with Mrs. Mead's relatives at J. A. Jones'. They will enjoy the "Camp" life at Kearsarge, probably, more than at the home.

Dean Andrews and May Webber, formerly of Sweden but later years of Danvers, Mass., have been guests at their brother's, Henry Andrews', en route to Sweden, where they have spent several summers with relatives, returning in early autumn to their home in Danvers.

**STONEHAM.**

Near Being Drowned.

Sunday afternoon as John Barker was sitting in his dooryard he heard a disturbance down by the lake. After a few moments of consideration he thought he would go down and see what the trouble was. As he came to the shore he saw two men, Wilbur McAllister and his son, Willie. As soon as Mr. Barker arrived Willie waded out into the lake and then made a dive to swim but failed to do so. He went down twice.

They saw the fellow was drowning and taking a boat that was near, hurried to the rescue. The second time he came up they grabbed him by the leg and pulled him to shore. If help had not been near the fellow would have drowned. The trouble was about a jug that he thought was in the water, and he went in after it and came very near losing his life.

Mrs. Lorin McKee is at work for Leslie McAllister.

Gertrude and Hazel Butters have been visiting relatives here.

The German measles are still raging. Some have been very sick with them and many have been exposed.

Mrs. George Stearns and daughter, Muriel, from Millinocket have been visiting at Walter Butters'.

Joe Flanders of Norway has been visiting relatives here. He came over to attend the Fourth at North Lovell.

Alfonzo McAllister has moved his family to Lynchville, and Mr. McAllister will drive a two-horse team for Jonathan Bartlett.

Fred L. McKee is having his barn raised five feet and intends to make many improvements to Mr. LeBaron of Lovell is doing the job.

School closed in this district Friday, June 29th, taught by Mabel Brooks of Paris. Miss Brooks and her scholars had a party Friday evening. Games were played and a treat of ice cream and cake was served. Alton Grover was present with his graphophone and many pieces were played to please the children. A merry, good time was reported. We are sorry to learn that some scholars took the teacher's little clock and ruler and did not return them the last day. Many tricks have been played on the teacher during the term, and she seemed to take it all in good part, and gave them a good time at the close of the term. A gentlemen teacher is needed to teach such scholars once in a while. A picnic was appointed at the picnic ground by the lake, Saturday, by Miss Brooks, for the benefit of her scholars, but on account of the rain they had it at the schoolhouse. It was enjoyed very much by all who attended.

Multum in Parvo.

It is the day of crisp sentences. Mach is packed in little. Commercialism has its grip on the phrasemakers.

"We are told that meat will be safe now all the way from the pasture to the can," or "from the hoof to the can." A comfortable assurance, put in either form. Coffee is recommended as coming straight "from the plantation to the cup." Shoes are advertised as "from the factory to the foot." All doubt as to the truthfulness of a particular brand is removed by the assurance that no middle man interferes "between the loom and the leg." Beer is guaranteed on the score that the passage is straight "from the grain to the growler."

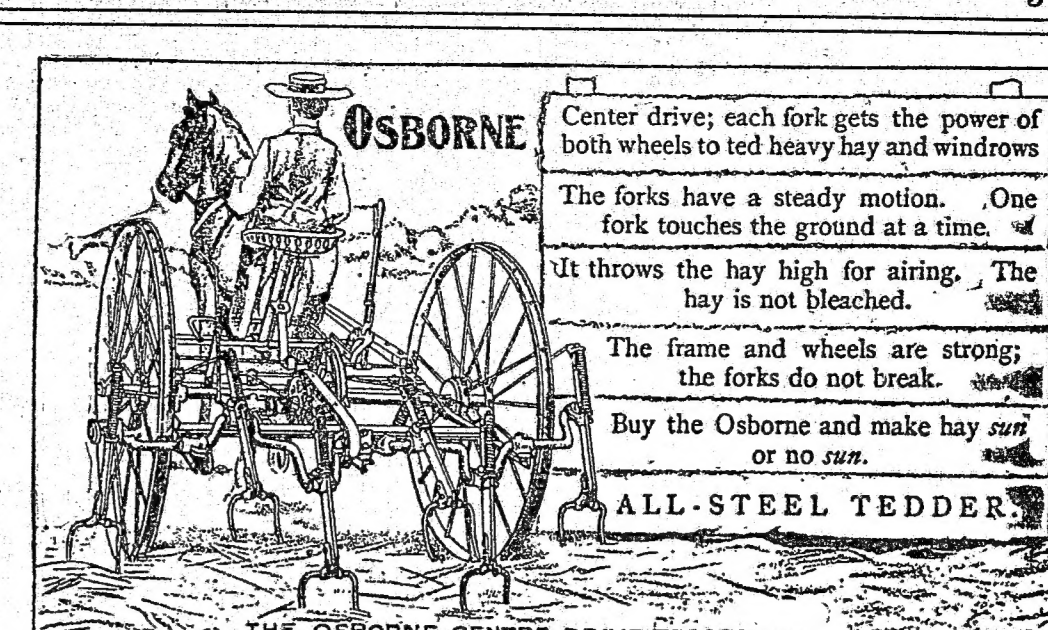
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### County Officer's Salaries

#### Fees Returned to Treasury.

The first year under the new law of turning in fees to the County treasury and receiving a stated sum as salary has passed. We have published the amount of fees turned in quarterly—except that of sheriff, which we now give for the year at this time.

Register of Probate, A. D. Park, fees for the year were \$172.50. His former pay was \$800 per year and fees and this year's would have amounted \$972.50, hence the new law increased his salary for service \$797.50.

The Western Registry district, Eckley Ballard, Fryeburg, paid to the treasury \$390.70 and received \$450 as salary. Thus the new law increased his salary \$59.30.

The Eastern Registry, J. Hastings Bean, did a business that footed to \$1899.26, which lacked only \$6.74 of equaling the salary, \$1900, he drew for himself and clerk.

The first year shows the adjustment of salaries, for these three offices, to be an increase of \$94.04. It proves the statement made by us 17 months ago, that the salaries of our county officers had been increased. These three offices were the unknown quantity. It is now known to be an increase, though not as large in proportion as was given all the other county officers, except the Clerk of Courts and Treasurer where no change was made.

The Clerk of Courts, Judge C. F. Whitman, whose pay was not affected by this recent law turned in as fees \$287.50.

The fees as returned to County Treasurer Atwood for the quarter ending June 30th are as follows:

By ALBERT D. PARK, REGISTER OF PROBATE

For Copies.....\$ 5.00  
Certificates.....16.75  
Abstracts.....7.50  
Sundry fees.....13.50  
Total.....\$42.75

By CHAS. F. WHITMAN, CLERK OF COURTS

For Entries.....\$37.50  
Certificates.....15.75  
Copies, etc.....8.50  
Executions, etc.....8.50  
All other services.....5.00  
Total.....\$75.25

By J. HASTINGS BEAN, REGISTER OF DEEDS

For 629 papers at 10 cts.....\$62.90  
134 " at 25 cts.....33.50  
3 Cert. of organization.....15.00  
21 Attachments at 10 cts.....2.10  
Copies.....1.00  
Miscellaneous.....26.82  
Total.....\$135.32

By ECKLEY BALLARD, WEST DIST. REGISTER

For 135 papers at 10 cts.....\$13.50  
22 " at 25 cts.....5.50  
3 Cert. of organization.....15.00  
2 Attachments at 10 cts......20  
Miscellaneous.....1.20  
Total.....\$35.20

By R. G. MCINTIRE, SHERIFF

Dec. 28, '05, Fees in A. C. Bean and G. W. Poole case.....\$2.96  
There are several unsettled cases now in court which when settled will increase the amount of fees from this office.

The County Commissioners have allowed expenses of the different officers for money paid out in attending to official business as follows:

Judge of Probate expenses holding Courts at Rumford Falls and at Fryeburg.....\$32.24  
Register of Probate expenses at Probate Courts at Rumford Falls and at Fryeburg.....\$29.38  
County Attorney expenses cash paid out.....\$72.50  
Judge of J. C. Court 30 cts. an hour, and a total of.....\$72.50  
Sheriff has had expenses paid for one car, telephoning cartage and freight on horses.....\$51.21

This shows what the offices have above the salary allowed by Statute. The above is for money paid out and expense on official business away from the Court House.

It is the practice in this county and we presume it prevails throughout the State and at the Augusta Capitol to furnish everything necessary in the several offices, such as pens, ink, pencils, paper, etc., postage stamps for official use and type writing machines were needed and to each officer a copy of the Maine Register and a pocket book and diary.

It is true that the office holding family at the Court House prefer the fee system. It is of less to them and they can get more fees where their income depends on it than they can get for the county treasury.

The Register of Probate and Clerk of Courts say many who have business with them would be willing to pay the fee to them personally as a salary, but when the fee is to go to the county they do the work themselves and get them to attest it for which 25 cents is paid, whereas they would not have "the gain" to do this if the fee was going to them as their pay. In many instances only 25 cents is now paid where in years past the same work was productive of \$1.25 to \$2.50 to the officers as part of their salary. This prevails largely in these two offices and accounts for the small amount turned over to the treasurer.

In the Clerk of Courts office where settlement of cases are made in court time the whole amount is turned over to the treasurer in a lump sum, who receipts for it on the docket, therefore no fees appear as credits to the office.

Below is a statement of the salaries "before and after" the acts of the last legislation when our county delegation advised a thousand dollars increase in salaries over the amount recommended by the State Joint committee and they got it too regardless of what was said in this paper.

Register of Probate \$750. The old schedule \$500. Increase \$250.  
Judge of Probate \$1000 and no fees. Former salary \$800 and fees. Fees past year were amounted to \$172.50—hence \$827.50 from the treasury.

Register of Deeds—Western Registry. Fees returned past year \$380.70. Salary drawn \$450—hence from treasury \$59.30. Eastern Registry. Fees returned \$190.70. Salary and clerk hire \$1900. From treasury \$709.30.  
County Attorney \$600. Old schedule \$350. Increase \$250 by last legislation.

County Commissioners, former estimated expense of the board \$264 a year. Allowed by last legislation \$1500. An increase here of \$554. Sheriff in years past got \$300 and fees but now he gets \$1100 and no fees—but must provide a keeper of the jail.

It's easy figuring to see that by doing away with the fee system increases the expense of the tax payer about \$1100 to the sheriff which was raised from \$300 and fees to \$1100. We feel safe in saying that there is an increase from \$600 to \$800 more than in years past. It is stating it fairly to say that the salaries of the county officers have been increased about \$2000 per year by the act of the last legislature in abolishing the obnoxious "fee system."

Was it necessary? We are silent on that point and allow our readers to draw their own conclusions.

### FRYEBURG.

Halcy Neighborhood.

Coridon Shortridge and family were the guests of Fred E. Haley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sullivan were the guests of Frank C. Haley, Sunday.

Willard Sands of Boston, Mass., is at home on two weeks' vacation. He and his wife, Mrs. Maurice, expects to go back with him.

Wallace Haley, wife and family relatives in East Fryeburg, last Sunday.

The oldest girls, Myrtle and Lula, are going to stay a week.

The Haley girls gave a social picnic last Thursday, on a hill by which has no name. They also had reading by Alice Haley, singing and speaking by Jennie and Marion Haley. Each one brought a good supply of food, and a good time was enjoyed.

James Flint and Roy Emery were in North Waterford, Sunday.

Bret Judkins and family of Conway are visiting relatives in the place.

Mrs. Lilla Walker and daughter visited friends in Fryeburg one day last week.

Zach Chandler, who is working in Lovell, spent a few days at home last week.

Meetings at the Universalist church are now held every Sunday morning at half-past ten.

Osgood Drew, who has been visiting friends in Albany and vicinity, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Brackett of Fryeburg Center visited her sister, Mrs. Clara Hastings, one day last week.

Several from here attended the celebration at North Chatham, Thursday, July 5th. All had a fine time.

Several attended the drama, "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard," played at Red Men's hall, Saturday evening, July 7th.

Vernon Giles and sister, Ruth, of Boston are spending a few weeks visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Giles.

Mrs. Meador of Fryeburg has been spending a short time with her daughter, Mrs. Parley Binford, and is now stopping at the Woodlawn.

Frank Haley, wife and baby, and Percy Jones and family of Fryeburg Center, and Ed Jones and family of this place spent the day, Wednesday, July 4th, at C. B. Webb's cottage at Lake Kezar.

### KEZAR FALLS.

John Devereux.

In the death of John Devereux, who passed away on the morning of July 9th, aged 86 years, the town has lost one of its most citizens.

Though belonging to no particular church or creed, Mr. Devereux was a God fearing man, one who loved his neighbor as himself, whose word was as good as his bond, and who stood ever ready to advance the best interests of the town.

Of immediate family he leaves a son, Dr. F. G. Devereux and wife, who have tenderly cared for him in his declining years, and who with other relatives and friends, will mourn their loss and feel that another good man has gone to his reward.

George Mason is having his house lighted with electricity.

Ed Brown of Swamscott, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chellis.

Mrs. Fred French and children and Marcia Ridlon of Cambridge, Mass., are guests of friends in town.

The L. M. K. C. and gentlemen friends enjoyed a trip to the Bay of Naples last Saturday, taking dinner at the Lake View house.

### BROWNFIELD.

Elio Whitney is home from Portland for a few weeks.

Mrs. E. W. Cole and little son Harold returned to their home in Arlington, Mass., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Work of Conway, N. H., were guests of her father, Henry Bartlett, over the Fourth.

The Sunday school of the First Congregational church is planning for a grand picnic in the near future.

Dr. F. E. Eastman, the dentist, reports having green peas from his garden, and 27. Owing to the wet weather the gardens are not looking well in this vicinity but the hay crop will be excellent.

Mrs. Broughton Bartlett, who is quite aged and almost totally blind, sustained a bad fall this week. Although no bones were broken, she was severely bruised and shaken up and will doubtless feel the effects of it for some time.

At the Congregational church, Rev. Dr. James J. G. Tarr, pastor, morning worship will be at 10:45, with sermon by the pastor. The Joy of a Used Opportunity. Sabbath school at 12 m. Dr. G. W. French, subject, The Turnkey. The orchestra is expected to lead the singing.

### PIGEON HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Briden of Lynn, are guests at the Pinnacle farm.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall and son of Oxford were at the Denning farm over the 4th.

Autos are numerous and they drive very fast on our two miles of straight, level road.

Mrs. Eustis of Boston, Mass., is spending the season with her sister, Mrs. Richard Tyler at the new home Mr. Tyler has been repairing.

The summer school for boys at Caldwell's grove at Lake Whitney is well attended this season. They have 25 pupils and four teachers, besides cooks and waiters.

Our celebration of July 4th passed as usual with a large amount of fire works given by F. D. True in the evening, to quite a gathering. His balloons, fishes, elephants and pigs were a success.

### WEST STONEHAM.

Fell from Staging.

Elden McAllister, while shingling his house near Sugar hill, one day last week, had the misfortune, by a broken staging, to fall from the roof to the ground. No bones were broken, but he sprained his ankle and lamed his back quite badly.

Herbert Adams has three boarders.

Some of the farmers have begun to cut hay.

Raspberries and blueberries are beginning to get ripe.

David Keniston of North Stoneham has got a housekeeper.

Mrs. Nancy Thomas is caring for Mrs. Wm. Gammon for a few days.

Annie Frost of Norway is assisting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Adams.

Most everybody celebrated the Fourth at North Lovell and reported a fine time.

Mrs. Nancy Thomas of Norway recently visited her nephew, Wm. Gammon.

Eva M. McAllister of North Waterford is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sawyer.

L. D. Hill of Cambridge, Mass., is occupying his nice new cottage recently erected on Rattlesnake island.

Mrs. Wm. Gammon had an ill turn one day last week, and is still quite poorly and under the care of a physician.

Alice Adams of North Stoneham, who has been attending school at Bridgton, is working for Mrs. Ben. Gray at Lovell Centre.

We are glad to welcome Mr. Goldsmith and wife, who have recently returned to their lovely summer home on Sheep Island.

H. B. McKean, wife and three little daughters attended the State convention at Portland, also attended the County convention at South Paris.

Mrs. Stella McKean and family visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Gammon who is quite ill, last Sabbath; also her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Keniston and son, Earl, of Lovell.

S. G. Manson, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Sawyer and sister, Ella, of Lovell visited at J. C. Sawyer's, last Sabbath. They also received a very pleasant call from B. H. and Dana McAllister of West Lovell.

### EAST BROWNFIELD.

Mrs. Mary Jewett is working at C. E. Hill's.

Lillian Gilpatrick of Hiram is working at Fred Bradbury's.

The Congregational circle met with Mrs. Frank Poor last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Marston of Conway has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. B. Round.

Rosa Godfrey and little son of Portland have been spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. Louis Gould of Parsonsfield, and Mrs. Bertha Durgin and daughter, Helen, called on Mrs. Frank Poor, Thursday.

### EAST HEBRON.

L. A. Allen and wife were in Auburn, Monday.

Fred Gordon and sister, Carrie, of Auburn spent Sunday at B. C. Keene's.

Blanch Hutchinson of Massachusetts, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. H. Packard.

The chicken pox is plentiful in this town just at present, principally among the children.

A. P. Brown passed away July 5, at 1 o'clock a. m. He has been sick for a number of years.

Charles McKenney died July 5, at 6 o'clock p. m. The funeral was at home Sunday. He was 83 years old.

There was a wedding at Fred Keene's, Wednesday evening of last week, when Irvin Monk and Rena Farries were married by Rev. W. T. Boyd.

### EAST SWEDEN.

The telephone wire is being strung through this place today, July 9th.

Pearl Wilson was in this place July 7, also Samuel Labroke of North Waterford.

Epiphany Durgin and son from Auburn, have been on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Herbert M. McAllister.

Washington Gammon and wife have been stopping at her old home in the Ridlon neighborhood. Mrs. Gammon's health is very poor.

J. W. Nevers and family were here July 8th, after Mr. Nevers, mother, Mrs. Eliza Bennett, who has been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lucy Haskell.

School in this neighborhood, Sadie M. Rowe of North Waterford teacher, closed July 6th, with literary exercises. Names of scholars not absent one-half day: Florence Bennett, Zilpha Haskell, Alice Adams, Louise Marr, Eva Kimball, Millard Adams, Leon Adams, Lee Kimball and Albert Kimball.

### NORTH CHATHAM.

C. S. Chandler has 12 boarders.

Gila Bryant is at her aunt's, Mrs. Preston Chandler.

Mrs. Waldo McIntire and Mrs. Belcher Pratt are visiting their brother, W. P. Chandler.

The glorious fourth has come and gone. There was a celebration in this place, gotten up by the garage.

Waldo Seavey and wife visited her mother on Sunday. Mrs. Louisa Pile returned home with them.

Mrs. Dexter Wiley from Fryeburg, and her sister, Mrs. Eliza York, from Boston, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Horace Chandler.

### Some Cows Were Deceased.

The Portland Creamery Co., who have a factory at South Paris, are having the cows on the different creeks and routes tested. A satisfactory arrangement was recently made between the company and the owners of the herds and work was commenced last week.

Dr. G. W. Farrell, veterinary of Biddeford, is working in Norway, and Dr. G. W. Farrell of Bethel is testing the cows in Paris.

The first week's work in Norway showed 17 tuberculous cows. They were owned as follows: Ambrose Farnum, one; Paul Howe, nine; Fred D. Knightly, five; Geo. Westleigh, one and Daniel Mills, one.

Mr. Deering of the State Cattle Commission arrived the first of the week and the deceased cows were valued, killed and buried. The State pays one-half of the appraised value, and when the owner will kill and bury the animal the pelt is his and can be sold.

There is to be a sale of forty second hand automobiles for two weeks, from July 16, at H. J. Willard Co., Portland, See adv.

### BETHEL.

Found Dead.

Thomas B. Kendall was found dead in his stable in the evening, Tuesday, the 10th, where he had just come in from a short ride and unharmed his horse. He was sitting in a chair and leaning against the side of the stable.

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## County Officer's Salaries Fees Returned to Treasury.

The first year under the new law of turning in fees to the County treasury and receiving a stated sum as salary passed. We have published the amount of fees turned in quarterly—except that of sheriff, which we now give for the year at this time.

Register of Probate, A. D. Park, fees for the year were \$173.50. His former pay was \$800 per year and fees and this year's would have amounted \$972.50, hence the new law increased his receipts for service \$799.00.

The Western Registry district, Eckley Ballard, Fryeburg, paid to the treasury \$390.70 and received \$450 as salary. Thus the new law increased his salary \$59.30.

The Eastern Register, J. Hastings Bean, did a business that footed to \$1593.26, which lacked only \$6.74 of equalling the salary, \$1600, he drew for himself and clerk.

The first year shows the adjustment of salaries for the three offices, to be an increase of \$94.04. It proves the statement made by us 17 months ago, that the salaries of our county officers had been increased. These three offices were to be an increase, though not as large in proportion as the other county officers, except the Clerk of Courts and Treasurer where no change was made.

The Clerk of Courts, Judge C. F. Whitman, whose pay was not affected by this recent law turned in as fees \$537.35.

The fees as returned to County Treasurer Atwood for the quarter ending June 30th are as follows:

BY ALBERT D. PARK, REGISTER OF PROBATE	
For Copies.....	\$ 6.00
Certificates.....	16.75
Abstracts.....	15.00
Sundry fees.....	13.50
Total.....	\$41.25

BY CHAS. F. WHITMAN, CLERK OF COURTS  
For Entries.....\$37.50  
For Certificates.....15.75  
Copies, etc.....3.00  
Executions, etc.....5.00  
All other services.....5.00  
Total.....\$66.25

BY J. HASTINGS BEAN, REGISTER OF DEEDS  
For 629 papers at 50 cts.....\$314.50  
134 " " at 25 cts.....33.50  
31 Cert. of organization.....15.00  
21 Attachments at 10.....2.10  
Copies.....17.00  
Miscellaneous.....8.52  
Total.....\$392.62

BY ECKLEY BALLARD, WEST. REG. DIST. REGISTRAR  
For 135 papers at 50 cts.....\$67.50  
22 " " at 25 cts.....5.50  
2 Cert. organization.....1.00  
8 Attachments at 10......80  
Miscellaneous.....1.20  
Total.....\$75.00

By B. G. McINTIRE, SHERIFF  
Dec. 25, '05, Fees in A. C. Bean and G. W. Swale case.....\$2.96  
There are several unsettled cases now in court which when settled will increase the amount of fees from this office.

The County Commissioners have allowed expenses of the different officers for money paid out in attending to official business as follows:

Judge of Probate expenses holding Courts at Rumford Falls and at Fryeburg.....\$33.24  
Register of Probate expenses at Probate Court at Rumford Falls and at Fryeburg.....\$29.98  
County Attorney expenses, cash paid out allowed by County Commissioners and Judge of S. J. Court \$21.25, and an estimated bill of June 30 of \$14.25, making a total of.....\$35.50  
Sheriff has had expenses paid for car fare telephoning and freight on liquors.....\$51.21

This shows what these offices have above the salary allowed by Statute. The above is for money paid out and expense on official business away from the Court House.

It is the practice in this county and we presume it prevails throughout the State and at the Augusta Capitol to furnish everything necessary in the several offices, such as pens, ink, pencils, paper, etc., postage stamps for official use and type writing machines where needed and to each officer a copy of the Maine Register and a pocket book and diary.

It is true that the office holding family at the Court House prefers the fee system. It is of less bother to them and they can get more fees where their income depends on it than they can get for the county treasury.

The Register of Probate and Clerk of Courts says many who have business with them would be willing to pay the fee to them personally as a salary, but when the fee is to go to the county they do the work themselves and get them to attest it for which 25 cents is paid, whereas they would not have "the gall" to do this if the fee was going to them as their pay.

In many instances only 25 cents is now paid where in years past the same work was productive of \$1.25 to \$2.50 to the officers as part of their salary. This prevails largely in the two offices and accounts for the small amount turned over to the treasurer.

In the Clerk of Courts office where settlement of cases are made in court time the whole amount is turned over to the treasurer in the lump sum, who receipts for it on the docket, therefore no fees appear as credits to the office.

Below is a statement of the salaries "before and after" the acts of the last legislation when our county delegation advised a thousand dollars increase in salaries over the amount recommended by the State Joint committee and they got it too regardless of what was said in this paper.

Judge of Probate \$750. The old schedule \$500. Increase \$250.  
Register of Probate \$1000 and no fees. Former salary \$800 and fees. Fees past year were amounted to \$172.50—hence \$727.50 was the salary.  
Register of Deeds—Western Register. Fees returned past year \$300.70. Salary drawn \$450—hence from treasury \$149.30. Eastern Register. Fees returned \$1593.26. Salary and clerk hire \$1500. From treasury \$75.74.  
County Attorney \$500. Old schedule \$350. Increase \$150 by last legislation.

County Commissioners, former estimated expense of the board \$300 a year. Allowed by the last legislation \$1500. An increase here of \$504. Sheriff in 1905 his pay was \$300 and he put now he gets \$1100 and no fees—but must put aside a keeper of the jail.

It's easy figuring to see that by doing away with the fee system, increases the expense of the tax payer about \$1,100 to say nothing about the salary of the sheriff which was raised from \$300 and fees to \$1,100. We feel safe in saying that the increase from \$600 to \$800 more than in years past. It is stating fairly to say that the salaries of the county officers has been increased about \$2000 per year by the act of the last legislature in abolishing the obnoxious "fee system."

Was it necessary? We are silent on that point and allow our readers to draw their own conclusions.

## Fryeburg.

Haley Neighborhood.  
Coridon Shortridge and family were the guests of Fred E. Haley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Haley, Sunday, were the guests of Frank G. Haley, Sunday.

Willard Sands of Boston, Mass., is at home on two weeks' vacation. His brother, Maurice, expects to go back with him.

Wallace Haley, wife and family relatives in East Fryeburg, last Sunday. The two oldest girls, Myrtle and Lula, are going to stay a week.

The Haley girls gave a social picnic last Thursday, on a hill near by which has no name. They also had reading by Alice Haley, singing and speaking by Jennie and Marion Haley. Each one brought a good supply of food, and a good time was enjoyed.

## NORTH FRYEBURG.

James Flint and Roy Emery were in North Waterford, Sunday.

Bret Jenkins and family of Conway are visiting relatives in the place.

Mrs. Lilla Walker and daughter visited friends in Fryeburg one day last week.

Zach Chandler, who is working in Lovell, spent a few days at home last week.

Meetings at the Universalist church are now held every Sunday morning at half-past ten.

Osgood Drew, who has been visiting friends in Albany and vicinity, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Brackett of Fryeburg Center visited her sister, Mrs. Clara Hastings, one day last week.

Several from here attended the celebration at North Chatham, Thursday, July 6th. All had a fine time.

Several attended the drama, "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard," played at Red Men's hall, Saturday evening, July 7th.

Vernon Giles and sister, Ruth, of Boston are spending a few weeks, visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Giles.

Mrs. Meador of Fryeburg has been spending a short time with her daughter, Mrs. Percy Binford, and is now stopping at the Woodlawn.

Frank Haley, wife and baby, and Percy Jones and family of Fryeburg Center, and Ed Jones and family of this place spent the day, Wednesday, July 4th, at B. C. Webb's cottage at Lake Kezar.

## KEZAR FALLS.

John Devereux.  
In the death of John Devereux, who passed away on the morning of July 9th, aged 86 years, the town has lost one of its foremost citizens.

Though belonging to no particular church or creed, one who loved his God fearing man, one who loved his neighbor as himself, whose word was as good as his bond, and who stood ever ready to advance the best interests of the town.

Of immediate family he leaves a son, Dr. F. G. Devereux and wife, who are tenderly cared for him in his declining years, and who with other relatives and friends, will mourn their loss and feel that another good man has gone to his reward.

George Mason is having his house lighted with electricity.

Ed Brown of Swanscott, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Obell.

Mrs. Fred French and children and Marcia Ridon of Cambridge, Mass., are guests of friends in town.

The L. M. R. C. and gentlemen friends enjoyed a trip to the Bay of Naples last Saturday, taking dinner at the Lake View house.

## BROWNFIELD.

Elsie Whitney is home from Portland for a few weeks.

Mrs. E. W. Cole and little son Harold returned to their home in Arlington, Mass., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Work of Conway, N. H., were guests of her father, Henry Bartlett, over the Fourth.

The Sunday school of the First Congregational church is planning for a grand picnic in the near future.

Dr. F. E. Eastman, the dentist, reports having green peas from his garden June 27. Owing to the wet weather the gardens are not looking well in some vicinity but the hay crop will be excellent.

Mrs. Broughton Bartlett, who is quite aged and almost totally blind, sustained a bad fall this week. Although no bones were broken, she was severely bruised and shaken up and will doubtless feel the effects of it for some time.

At the Congregational church, Rev. Dr. James J. G. Tarr, pastor, morning worship will be at 10:45, with sermon by the pastor, The Joy of a Used Opportunity. Sabbath school at 12 m.; Evening Church at 7:30, subject, The Turnkey. The orchestra is expected to lead the singing.

## PIGEON HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hall of Lynn, are guests at the Pinnacle farm.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall and son of Oxford were at the Denning farm over the 4th.

Autos are numerous and they drive very fast on our two miles of straight, level road.

Mrs. Eustis of Boston, Mass., is spending the season with her sister, Mrs. Richard Tyner at the new home Mr. Tyner has been repairing.

The summer school for boys at Caldwell's grove at Lake Whitney is well attended this season. They have 35 pupils and four teachers, beside cooks and waiters.

Our celebration of July 4th passed as usual with a large amount of fireworks given by D. D. True in the evening, to quite a gathering. His balloons, flares, elephants and pigs were a success.

## WEST STONEHAM.

Fell from Staging.  
Elden McAllister, while shingling his house near Sugar hill, one day last week, had the misfortune, by a broken staging, to fall from the roof to the ground. No bones were broken, but he sprained his ankle and lamed his back quite badly.

Herbert Adams has three boarders. Some of the farmers have begun to cut hay.

Raspberries and blueberries are beginning to get ripe.

David Keniston of North Stoneham has got a housekeeper.

Mrs. Nancy Thomas is caring for Mrs. Wm. Gammon for a few days.

Annie Frost of Norway is assisting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Adams.

Most everybody celebrated the Fourth at North Lovell and reported a fine time.

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Mrs. Wm. Gammon had an ill turn one day last week and is still quite poorly under the care of a physician.

Alice Adams of North Stoneham, who has been attending school at Bridgton, is working for Mrs. Ben. Gray at Lovell Centre.

We are glad to welcome Mr. Goldsmith and wife, who have recently returned to their lovely summer home on Sheep Island.

E. B. McKenney, wife and three little daughters attended the State convention at Portland, also attended the County convention at South Paris.

Mrs. Stella McKenney and family visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Gammon who is quite ill, last Sabbath; also her daughter, Mrs. Lillian Keniston and son, Earl, of Lovell.

S. G. Mansson, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Sawyer and sister, Ella, of Lovell visited at J. C. Sawyer's, last Sabbath. They also received a very pleasant call from E. H. and Dana McAllister of West Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Jewett is working at C. E. Hill.

Lillian Gilpatrick of Hiram is working at Fred Bradbury's.

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Blanch Hutchinson of Massachusetts, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. H. Packard.

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Charles H. Clark of Paris, who has been of late an inmate of the soldier's home at Togus, is at the Maple and Pine farm on a furlough.

Florence Kimball, who has been in the family of Rev. F. B. Schoonover for about seven months, has returned to her home, with her mother, Ellen P. Kimball.

Grover Hill.  
A. J. Peaslee was in Gilead, Monday. Karl J. Stearns went to Freeport, Sunday.

A. L. Whitman was in Dummer, N. H., Sunday.

Gwendolyn Stearns is visiting in Freeport and Portland, this week.

Alfred J. Peaslee is going to work for G. P. Bean, during the haying season.

Holden Savin from Waterford, is visiting at the home of his uncle, True Brown.

Marion Bennett and friend, Maurice Tyler, returned Friday, from a visit with friends at Mechanic Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler and friend, Miss Bean, from West Bethel, and S. O. Grover and family from Mason, were among the guests at A. B.



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### OTISFIELD.

Clifton Nutting and Elias Davis are having together. Marion Foster went to Old Orchard, Monday, to work in a hotel. Clarence Goff of Westbrook visited friends in town over Sunday. Chas. W. Sanborn attended the G. A. R. Post meeting at Oxford, Saturday. The marriage of Herbert Meserve of Casco and Jennie Brown of Otisfield occurred at the residence of E. A. Davis, on Saturday evening, July 7th, the ceremony being performed by Rev. C. C. Foster.

The 4th passed off very quietly here. A few went out of town but owing to the weather of the morning some concluded to stay home all day. Only one accident reported and that the splitting of two fingers and a thumb. The Douglas Reunion will be omitted this year for the reason that several of the workers of the enterprise are sick, or have sickness in the family, and would not be able to attend or do any-

thing about it. If deemed advisable one may be held in 1907.

Etta Smith is gaining slowly. Daisie Ames is very much better. Walter Hamlin is building a new barn. Will Meserve has moved to Raymond and is at work there.

R. G. Edwards of Topsham is visiting friends in this place. Gene Edwards and family visited relatives in Naples recently.

Nellie Stone of Malden, Mass., is visiting her brother, Cyrus Stone. Gladys Chadbourne of Auburn, is visiting at Frank Sawyer's.

Algernon Ames and two children visited his son, Willie, at Lewiston last week. Gladys Edwards and Maud Sawyer returned home from Lisbon Falls, Monday of last week.

Bonnie Wight, who joined the regular army last March, was home on a furlough of six days. He is stationed at Fort Strong, Mass.

School closed in Swampville, June 22, taught by Mrs. Annie B. Robinson. It was a very profitable term as she is one of our best teachers.

### NEWRY.

Elmer Bailey is working for Frank Douglass. Mrs. C. D. Bean visited Fred Bartlett's last week.

Mrs. L. Pennoch has gone to her home at East Waterford. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Skillings from Bethel visited at H. S. Hastings' last Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Frost and two children went to North Paris last Thursday, returning Sunday.

### EAST HIRAM.

Died Suddenly.

Mary Ann Flye of East Hiram died Wednesday evening, very unexpectedly to her family, although she had been in poor health for some time. She sat in the front yard considerably, Wednesday, watching a tent show which was pitched in front of her house, and they thought the excitement was too much for her.

She was 64 years old, was born on Hiram hill in 1842, lived there till she married Isaiah Flye, then moved to East Hiram, where she has since lived. She was one of six children, of which only one survives her. Her husband, two children and one brother are left to mourn their loss. Funeral was held at the Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Potter officiating. Interment was in the village cemetery.

Etta Lowell and daughter were in Hiram, Sunday. Mrs. A. G. Stearns is in very poor health this summer.

The two Mrs. Moultons called on Mrs. C. C. Lowell, Friday. Arthur Cotton and family have moved in with their father, Melville Gould.

Carroll Milliken bought and brought home a fine horse from Denmark, last week.

Henry Baldwin, the veteran tin peddler of Baldwin, was seen in this place, Thursday.

Professor Hartwell and family are here to spend the summer at E. C. Wadsworth's, Mt. View Farm.

A Mrs. Beals and maid from Nova Scotia arrived at J. H. Redlon's cottage where she will spend a few weeks in visiting her father, James Beals.

J. H. Redlon lost a fine, five-year old cow, Saturday. Hearing an uproar among the cows he hurried into the pasture, finding this one dead. No cause known.

Herbert Moulton and wife, and Arthur Cotton and wife from our neighborhood, Clifton Evans and wife from East Hiram, and the Kimballs visited Kezar Falls grange, Saturday evening.

Mrs. O. S. Powers and daughter with ten nieces and nephews from Boston have come to spend the summer on the old pine tree farm, which is beautifully situated on the shore of Rattlesnake lake.

The Fourth passed off as a rainy day. We can't remember in all our 55 years such a wet, dabby day, although there was considerable display of the Fourth in many places. There was quite a display of fireworks at C. C. Lowell's, which gave the neighbors and family much pleasure for a short time.

Seth Clemons hired a horse from the Mt. Outier stable and started to see his best girl in our recent show. He got about two miles when a heavy clap of thunder rounded him up. His horse got frightened, throwing him out, and cleared himself from the wagon and ran into the woods. It was thought the horse was shocked.

### NORTH PARIS.

Will Tuell has gone to Portland to work. Mrs. Sadie Silver spent the Fourth at South Paris.

Many from this place attended the 4th of July celebration at West Paris. D. Graves and family of Somerville, Mass., are at their cottage, Elm Rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Perry of South Paris visited at Fred Stevens' recently. Carl Bacon and wife joined friends from West Paris in a trip to Mt. Mica.

Mr. and Mrs. Moseley Foss have arrived at their home here from Portland. Mr. and Mrs. James Ripley and Alton spent the Fourth at Little Concord, fishing.

Mrs. Norman Perkins and children are at her father's, Rev. Seth Benson's, for the summer.

Mrs. Carrie Frost and two children of Newry visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tuell, last week.

### SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

A party of young people from Brookton, Mass., spent last week at J. H. Davis'.

Mrs. Hilton, Mrs. E. S. Russell's sister, returned to Lewiston, Friday.

E. F. Wheeler, from Bethel, W. O. Goodwin from Norway and R. Wheeler went fishing one day last week got a catch of 288 trout.

W. C. Goodwin and wife of Norway, spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wheeler, of Bethel are visiting at E. F. Wheeler's. Mrs. Wheeler and little grandson Vernon, were in Norway, Monday.

H. D. Cole and wife attended church here Sunday. Cale Morrill went to South Paris, Monday on business.

Mrs. Kilbon Perham's health is quite poor this summer. Gerald Davis spent Saturday and Sunday with Gravelle Felt.

Tina Farrington is visiting her mother, Mrs. Anson Cash. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beck of Norway, were at Lyman Beck's, Sunday.

Fred Thurlow and Abner Benson have taken T. L. Wyman's hay to cut.

The farmers commenced haying this week. The crop seems very light. Percy Wilson has hired a cow through having with Fred Sorbier of Paris.

Jessie Jackson has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Rachel Edwards. F. L. Wyman's barn is progressing finely. The frame was raised, Tuesday.

Everett Robbins and wife visited A. M. Andrews and wife one day last week. Will Andrews has a new mowing machine. Fred Buck is working for him.

Alger Millett is boarding at Will Pratt's and working for 1 W. Andrews & Sons.

Mrs. George Stevens spent Sunday in Oxford with Orrin Stevens, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Felt visited their daughter, Mrs. Geo. W. Davis, Tuesday.

Mrs. Rose Perkins of Rumford Falls, visited her parents, Geo. L. Whitman and wife last week.

Clifton Wilson will cut the hay for L. W. Andrews & Sons. Walter Bryant and Ernest Higgins will work for him.

Bert Silver has bought a new wagon to replace the one that was demolished in his recent encounter with the automobile.

There were services at the Methodist church last Sunday. Rev. Mr. White-side will be with us again in two weeks at 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norcross of Bryantville, Mass., and Norman Brook and Harold Mann, of Brookton, who have been boarding with E. B. Davis, returned to their homes, Sunday.

### SOUTH ALBANY.

Family Gatherings. The Fourth passed off quite calmly here. There was a quiet family gathering at Merritt Sawin's, all the members of Mrs. Lydia Sawin's family being present, with the exception of Mrs. Marcha Sawin, who was unable to be present. Those present were: Mr. Lyman Sawin, Lewis Sawin, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Sawin, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Holt, Grace Sawin, Holden Sawin, Hazel Sawin, Elysis Sawin and Helen Holt, Waterville.

There was also a family party at Elliott Kimball's with every member of the family present. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eames, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Kimball, Orin Eames, Tessie Eames, Gladys Eames, Merton Kimball, Blanche Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott and Ernest Grover.

George Cummings and two children, Hermon and Alta, of Albany, visited at Henry Sawin's, last Sunday.

Walter Lord went to the Town house with a load of calves, last Monday, for Fred Ordway of West Bethel.

J. F. Lord has sold the Basin House and report says he will move back onto his farm here in the near future.

Hermon Holt and family visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sawin, and J. D. Horr and wife, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Alice McIntire lies seriously ill at her home in that place. Mrs. McIntire was a native of this place and passed her childhood here.

Mr. O. W. York spent the day with his friend, Mrs. Walter Lord, last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bickford of East Stoneham also visited at the same place, Saturday.

Walter Canwell, wife and son, Harold, were at Merritt Sawin's last Friday; also Mrs. Sewell Abbott and daughter, Ida Abbott, and Donald Mason, who is staying with them at their home in Waterville.

### ALBANY.

Nina Bean is at work in Harrison. Edith Manley is spending the summer at Abel Andrews'.

Susie Taylor is stopping at the home of her uncle, Carter Grover. Perry and Amos Bean went fishing the Fourth and caught 164 trout.

Henry Laundry is helping his brother-in-law, Will McNally, with his haying. Mrs. Wallace E. Cummings and her daughter Annie, are visiting relatives in Paris.

The Fourth passed very quietly here, as the picnic had to be given up on account of rain.

Mrs. McMillan and little son from Massachusetts, have come to spend the summer at Frank Bean's.

E. E. Pickering of Bangor, who is canvassing for cyclopaedias, spent the Fourth at A. G. Bean's.

May Gould, who has been teaching for the past year at Berlin, N. H., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. G. Bean.

H. O. Wilber and daughter, Mrs. Alice Clark, from Bolster's Mills, spent Sunday at Abel Andrews'. Mr. Wilbur will remain to make repairs on the Clark house.

Mrs. Frances Wardwell entertained the Ladies' circle July 5th. About 65 were present, among them Rev. Mr. Fuller of North Waterford. The afternoon was spent in chatting, playing games, etc. At six o'clock all enjoyed a bountiful supper. Later, the young people sang songs, and all went home feeling that they had passed a very enjoyable afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emery Kemp of East Otisfield, have sent out invitations for the 50th anniversary of their marriage July 19, at their home. Reception from 1 to 3 p. m. and from 7.30 to 10.

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### DENMARK.

The Fourth passed very quietly here. Mrs. Augusta Brown has been quite poorly the past two weeks.

Freeman Sanborn has over 2,000 chickens now. Who beats that?

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Berry dined on green peas from their garden, July 4th.

Florence Jewett has returned from South Paris where she has been teaching.

Mrs. Sarah Perkins is working for Mrs. Geo. Colby while they have boarders.

Pomona Grange met here July 4th. Quite a number from out of town present.

George Colby and Marshall Wentworth are having telephones put into their houses.

Bethesda Bosworth of Hiram is stopping a few days with her aunt, Mrs. E. W. Witham.

Perley Plant is spending two weeks of his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Plant.

Rev. Geo. Woodard, wife and child are stopping at her parents', Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pingree's.

Marshall Wentworth, wife and children visited her parents in Fryeburg, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Purington has closed her house and intends to stop with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Blake, the rest of the summer.

Phillip Blake of Lynn, Mass., came Tuesday to spend his vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wentworth.

Myrtle Smith spent the Fourth with friends in Hiram. Mrs. Charles Poor and son, Walter, visited friends in Sebago last week.

Schools closed in town last week. Miss Winslow, who has taught three very successful terms here, returned to her home in Falmouth, July 7th.

Mrs. Sarah Hinman and her daughter, Mrs. Emma Abbott of Brewer, came Friday to visit Mrs. Hinman's niece, Mrs. Austin Wentworth. She has not been this way for about 18 years. They returned Tuesday, the 10th.

Charles Poor went down to Sebago last Monday to get his horse he had turned out to pasture, to put with his wife and do his haying with. He hunted quite a while and then found it dead. It had a fit in the spring and he thought it had another as it seemed to have struggled and thrashed around quite a good deal. He has been a good and faithful horse.

### EAST DENMARK.

Alice Wiggin has gone to her home in Baldwin to stay awhile.

Roscoe Hilton came home from Boston, Monday, to spend his vacation.

A party from Portland are enjoying camp life at the Moose Pond club house. There was a surprise party at Roy Hale's last Friday, a fine time is reported.

Mrs. James Hartford and son of Hiram, visited Roy Hale and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Amelia Maybury, Master Homer Gray and Evelyn Sharon, visited Mrs. Annie Trumble and son, last Sunday.

Fessenden and Jack have moved their steam mill to Freedom, N. H., and have a contract to saw a large lot of pine timber.

### MARRIAGES.

In Fryeburg, July 11, by Rev. B. N. Stone John Wesley Stokes of Freedom, N. H., and Sadie Abbott Wentworth of East Conway, N. H.

In South Paris, July 11, by Rev. A. K. Baldwin, Charles A. Denham and Ole M. Swan, both of West Paris.

In Otisfield, July 7, by Rev. C. C. Foster, Hector Meserve of Casco and Jessie Brown of Otisfield.

In Danvers, Mass., June 18, by Rev. Mr. Cassidy, Walter A. Armstrong and Mildred F. Waterhouse, both of Danvers.

In South Paris, July 5, by Rev. J. E. Little, William Frank Nottage and Mabel Smith Chase, both of Paris.

In Oxford, June 22, by Roscoe F. Staples, Esq., Fred Waterman and Eva Mayberry, both of Oxford.

In East Hiram, June 28, by Rev. W. T. Boyd, Charles W. Billings and Mrs. Emma Boyd Stuart.

In Boston, June 28, by Rev. Frank B. McAllister, Rev. Theodore Lyman Frost of Rumford Falls and Vida Maud Pickering.

In East Hiram, July, by Rev. W. T. Boyd, Irvon Monk and Rena Farries, both of Hiram.

### BIRTHS.

In Waterford, July 9, to the wife of Llewellyn Millett, a son.

In Kezar Falls, July 8, to the wife of A. G. Crum, a daughter.

In Kezar Falls, July 2, to the wife of Harry Estes, a daughter.

In Greenwood, July 2, to the wife of Grover C. Yates, a daughter.

In Andover, June 28, to the wife of Matthias Mooney, a son.

In Bethel, July 6, to the wife of Guy Thurston a son.

In Stoneham, July, to the wife of Leslie McAllister, a son.

### DEATHS.

In Porter, July 8, the wife of William Mason, aged 69 years.

In Kezar Falls, July 9, John Devereux, aged 86 years.

In Denmark, July 1, Marjorie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Munton, aged 13 years.

In Norway, July 11, George W. Stone, aged 85 years, 2 months, and 5 days.

In Paris, July 8, Mary A. widow of William K. Greene, aged 77 years.

In Bethel, July 5, Ebenezer Richardson, aged 84 years.

In East Bethel, July 4, Galen Blake, aged 80 years.

In Denmark, July 1, Margaret O., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Munton, aged 13 years.

In East Hiram, July 6, Charles McKennedy, aged 82 years.

In East Hiram, July 5, F. P. Brown.

In Fryeburg, June 25, Mrs. Parthena Holt, aged 83 years.

In East Hiram, July 4, Mrs. Mary Ann Flye, aged 62 years.

In Kezar Falls, July 9, Charles H. Wales, aged about 80 years.

In Lewiston, July 3, Mrs. Evelina A. Jackson, widow of Lemuel W. Jackson, aged 73 years.

In Hiram, July 4, Mrs. Stella Arabin Whittemore, widow of Joshua Whittemore, aged 65 years, 1 month, 24 days.

In Bethel, July 10, Thomas B. Kendall, aged 60 years.



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## NORWAY AND VICINITY.

**Remarkable Pear Tree.**  
S. H. Lagrow has a pear tree which blossomed twice this year. It was covered with blossoms this spring and nearly all were killed by the frost. Last week the tree was in bloom again and this time on the twigs of the year's growth. The tree has done this way for several years and no one seems to be able to account for it.

**New Rails on the Lake Road.**  
The town of Norway commenced Monday to put the rails along the lake side of the Lake road. The rails are to be of cedar, two rails are to be placed in the most dangerous places, the one four feet high. This work is to be under the charge Charles W. Partridge.

**Izrah Pike the new organist at the Baptist church.**  
H. B. Foster was in Lewiston, Friday, on business.

**Lelia Watson is spending her vacation at Rufus K. Morrill's.**  
Mrs. Hilton of Somerville, Mass., is visiting Mrs. S. H. Weatherbee.

**Grace Goodwin is sick at her father's.**  
D. W. Goodwin, on Pike's Hill.

**Mrs. W. L. Merrill and two sons, Wiggin and Joseph, are at Brownville.**

**Clare Gammon, who has been visiting her Norway friends, has returned to Lynn.**

**W. O. Perry's boarders and company from Lynn, have returned to their homes.**

**Mattie Tracy, a teacher at Lawrence, Mass., is in Norway.** She was at one time assistant in the Norway High School.

**L. G. Corbin, a newspaper man from Worcester, Mass., is in town** last week on business for the Maynard, Goffe Co. of that city.

**Several parties from here went to Moose pond, Otisfield, Sunday** after pond lilies which are now in full bloom and plenty of them.

**Mrs. J. A. Harding, who has been spending a few weeks at the farm with her son, Will Young, has returned to her home in Brewer.**

**C. S. Akers has resigned the secretaryship of Norway Lodge I. O. O. F.** he has held many years. M. L. Kimball was elected to fill the vacancy.

**The ladies of the Wildcat Club entertained the girls Tuesday evening.** They supped on strawberries in a variety of modes, played cards and told stories.

**V. W. Hills went to Portland, Tuesday** and got his automobile, riding home in it. It is a Pope touring car and Mr. Hills has had good success in running it.

**A canoe in which were Carl Boynton, Mrs. Will Boynton and Tessa Thibodeau, recently swamped on Lake Penesseewassee.** They were near the shore and only got a wetting. One end of the canoe was on shore at the time of the swamping.

**V. W. Hills has the honor of owning the first Norway village automobile,** though not the first owned in town. Mr. Hills went to Portland after it. He started about two o'clock p. m. from Portland, last week Thursday. He is in town now and has been several days, but has a care when you ask him how long he was making that run, or the troubles he enjoyed along the way.

**WANTED, LOST, FOUND, ETC.**  
Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.  
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This price is for cash in advance. One and two-cent postage stamps taken.

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**FOR SALE.** Canopy top Surrey in fine condition. Inquire of H. E. Gibson, Norway, Me.

## Base Ball.

Radcliffe Play and Win Two Games on Fair Grounds, Saturday.

A double-header was played Saturday, the local team winning the first game with South Paris by a score of 9 to 3 and the second game with South Waterford by the score of 5 to 0. Following are the scores:

Radcliffe.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leonard, 1b.	4	2	1	1	0	0
Cole, 2b.	3	2	1	1	1	0
DeWolf, c.	4	2	3	6	1	0
Mulvey, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hayes, if.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Lowell, 3b.	4	0	1	1	3	0
Rich, rf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Nichols, ss.	4	0	1	0	1	0
Brooks, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Boulter, cf.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.	30	9	13	20	8	4

South Paris.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Briggs, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Flanning, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Parlin, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Shaw, if.	3	1	0	0	1	0
DeWolfe, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Spring, cf.	3	0	1	0	1	0
Record, rf.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Webster, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	28	1	1	1	4	0

**Score by Innings.**  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7—Total.  
Radcliffe..... 0 5 3 0 0 0 0—9.  
South Paris..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1.

\*Parlin out, dropped third strike.  
\*Rich out, hit by third strike.  
\*Two out, hit, Leonard. First on balls, off Nichols; 2, off Webster. 1. Struck out by Nichols; 2, off Webster; 3, by Cole. 1. Wild pitches, Nichols. Passed ball, DeWolf. Stolen bases, Leonard, Cole, Mulvey. Sacrifice hit, Rich. Time, 1 hour, 30 minutes. Umpire, Nevins.

Radcliffe vs. South Waterford.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leonard, 1b.	4	2	1	1	0	0
Cole, 2b.	4	2	1	1	0	0
DeWolf, c.	4	2	3	6	1	0
Mulvey, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hayes, if.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Lowell, 3b.	4	0	1	1	3	0
Rich, rf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Nichols, ss.	4	0	1	0	1	0
Brooks, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Boulter, cf.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.	33	5	7	27	9	1

South Waterford.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
H. Hayes, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Roll, if.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Boulter, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, 2b.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Haskell, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Monroe, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Spaulding, ss.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Knights, cf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	28	0	1	0	0	0

**Score by Innings.**  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8—Total.  
Radcliffe..... 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 0—5.  
South Waterford..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0.

Two base hit, Lowell. First base on balls, off Mulvey; 2, off Monroe. 1. Struck out, by Mulvey; 2, by Monroe; 3, Wild pitches, Mulvey. 1. Hit by pitcher, Monroe. 1. Stolen bases, Mulvey, C. Hayes, Monroe. Sacrifice hits, Lowell, Wilson. Time 1 hour, 30 minutes. Umpire Gagnon.

**New England Rifle Association.**  
The second annual tournament of the New England Military Rifle Association will be held at Wakefield, Mass., July 23 to 25. Number two in the program is the second company team match for a trophy presented by Co. D, N. G. S. M. This match is open to teams of five men, from any company, troop or battery unit excepting those winning a prize in the first company team match, New England only. The match will take place Tuesday, July 24, at 2 o'clock p. m. The trophy which is to be given is a beautiful loving cup which was on exhibition at Cole's jewelry store a short time ago.

**J. J. Hayden and family of Haverhill, Mass., are in Norway for a summer outing.**

**Lola Smith and Irene Hazen have gone to Kennebunk Beach, to work in a hotel this summer.**

**Mrs. C. C. Farwell and Mrs. Fred Farwell of Bethel, have been visiting at Mrs. Rowena Swan's.**

**Clinton Mills is still confined to the house, not having recovered from his severe sickness in the winter.**

**Charles C. Burt has had an operation for a bone sore in his left arm at the Central Maine General Hospital, at Lewiston.**

**Mell Sampson, Frank Richardson, John Shepard, A. L. Cook and James True spent Sunday at Mr. Sampson's cottage by the lake.**

**We noticed uncle John B. Hazen riding round in Automobile, number 12043.** A good many of these have been licensed in the State where that machine came from.

**Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bennett have been passing several days at their cottage at Empire Grove. Later Mr. Bennett will drive a carriage to and from the Grand Trunk and Portland & Rumford Falls trains for the accommodation of passengers, as has been his custom during the summer season at Empire.**

**Henry Brown, who lives in the Holt district of town, is at Broken Bow, Neb.** He has been there several weeks and his health seems to be improving. He has a lung trouble and a relative of his was very anxious to have him come out there and try a change of climate. His son, George, and his wife are carrying on the farm here.

## "As Off as Ye Shall Drink It."

Dame Brechbuehlle Receives the Communion after Thirty-five Years Deprivation.

For the first time in thirty-five years, Madame Anna M. Brechbuehlle, the aged mother of Mrs. Albert G. Hill of Winter street last Sunday, received the Holy Communion at the Episcopal Mission, Christ Church, on Paris street.

It was a great event in the aged woman's life, as churches will readily realize. Mme. Brechbuehlle is a native of Switzerland. For thirty-five years she had been living in a village in the Province of Quebec, Canada, where there were no ministrations of the church in which she had been reared as a Swiss maiden. About a month ago she came to make her home in Norway, with Mrs. Hill, who is an adopted daughter and is glad to return in kind the affectionate care and attention she received in her childhood.

Mme. Brechbuehlle was rejoiced to find here an opportunity once more to approach the altar. After devout preparation in the morning of last Sunday, she was driven to the church. For a religious duty had lamed her, but nothing could deter her from attending the service. It must be borne in mind that Mrs. Brechbuehlle speaks no English, French and German are strangely combined in her speech, as indeed they are in the spelling of her name and in her appearance. One is not quite sure whether to address her as "Frau" or "Madame."

Of course she could understand little of the English service, but could follow its progress with the eye rather than the ear. To one acquainted with the circumstances the scene was striking when she advanced to the chancel rail with considerable difficulty, but gently assisted. At the suggestion of Archdeacon Seymour, who was celebrating the sacrament, the deacon assisting hastened down, offering to bring the sacrament to the devout woman in her place. But she preferred to receive in the chancel—a privilege denied her for nearly two score years.

It was a touching incident, full of local color and the thrill of human interest. And the tranquillity of the aged woman, after availing herself of a privilege postponed so long and so highly valued, was beautiful to contemplate.

**Crack Yankee Whittier.**  
In his spare moments Warren Brooks West Paris has whittled a dog house.

It was a present to Mrs. Albert R. R. and was designed for Jumbo, her pet terrier. The house is two by three feet, with all the fancy decorations any Yankee dog could possibly desire. There, by the way, is a dog house on the roof. The entire house was built with a pocket knife and a hammer.

There is a front door with an elaborate latch, an ingenious chain across the front that is suggestive of the use of the unique of his house, a fancy weather vane and a flagpole from which fly the American colors.

Mr. Brooks is a typical New England whittier, and watch chains, canes, sleds, etc., are not the least of his accomplishments.

**Fred Brown of Portland was in town** on Sunday.

**James W. Bancroft of Mechanic Falls** was in Norway, Monday.

**Make hay when the sun shines, and** let it grow when it rains.

**Like Shank has returned from Upton** where she has been teaching.

**Mr. and Mrs. F. Q. Elliott have moved** to their cottage at North Norway, for the summer.

**Rev. Charles R. Tenney of Auburn** will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday.

**Mrs. John H. Fletcher and her two** little sons are at Canada to spend the summer, as is their usual custom.

**Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Fuller are having** a small shop erected on the old grist mill lot, just below the office of the Bridgton Laundry. The shop will be used as a candy and fruit store when completed.

**Mrs. Albion Chase of Portland and** Mrs. Edward N. Chase of Concord, Mass., were in town last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Q. Elliott. They spent the fourth at Mr. Elliott's cottage at North Norway.

**Fred Pike, Vern Rich, Walter Cullinan, Carl Boynton, James Tubbs and Dr. John** visited Mr. Washington, Sunday. It was a fine clear day for sight-seeing, though rather too warm for the walk up the mountain.

**Don C. Seitz of New York returned** from a very pleasant six weeks' trip to Europe, the last day of June. He spent this summer till October so he can enjoy a ride on the Norway & Western rail road.

**There is a complaint that the boys who** go in bathing near the boat houses, go into the houses and do malicious mischief. Warnings notices have been posted, and if they still persist in this course of action, they will answer for their ways before the honorable justices of our courts.

**Smith-Vinal.**  
At noon, Tuesday, July 3, Union church, Vinalhaven, was the scene of an especially interesting occasion when occurred the wedding of Albra Josephine Vinal and Mark Pool Smith. The church was finely decorated with evergreen and foliage plants artistically arranged, and formed an effective setting for the bridal group. The ceremony was performed before a bridal arch of evergreen and marguerites from which was suspended a large wedding veil, by Rev. E. H. Lidstone, the ring service being used.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Dora Vinal Boman as matron of honor, and a quartette of bridesmaids. The groom was attended by a Bowdoin college friend, Dr. Charles L. Cragin of Portland, as best man.

The bride was robed in a handsome princess gown of venetian lace over ivory silk in train. She wore a tulle veil fastened with maiden hair fern and white roses and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses. The only ornament worn was a gold chain and roman cross set with a pearl, the gift of the groom. The bride's favors to her attendants were dainty gold pins.

After the ceremony the bridal party retired to the home of the bride and made merry for a brief season.

The bride doffed her wedding gown for a handsome traveling suit of marine blue, and the couple left on the noon boat for a sojourn of two weeks at the Green Dragon camp, the summer home of the Smiths at Oxford.

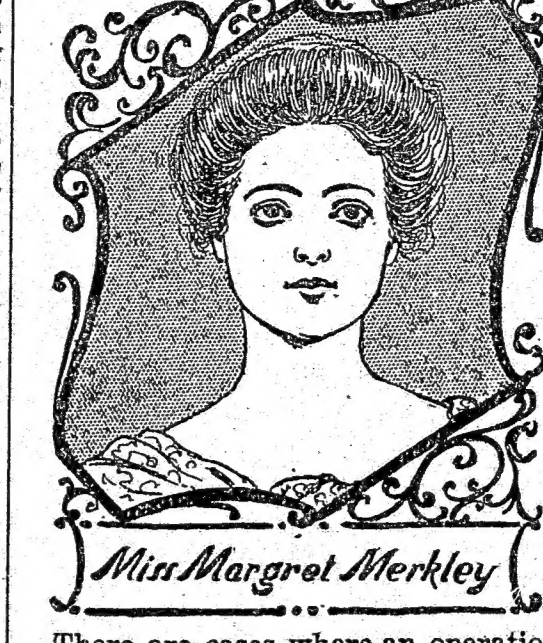
Their departure was attended by the usual demonstrations which are lov-

## OPERATION AVOIDED

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When a physician tells a woman suffering with serious feminine trouble that an operation is necessary, the very thought of the knife and the operating table strikes terror to her heart, and our hospitals are full of women coming for just such operations.



There are cases where an operation is the only resource, but when one considers the great number of cases of menacing female troubles cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after physicians have advised operations, no woman should submit to one without first trying the Vegetable Compound and writing Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, which is free.

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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, shooting pains through the pelvic organs, bearing down pains and cramps compelled me to seek medical advice. The doctor, after making an examination, said I had a female trouble and advised an operation. To this I strongly objected and decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The doctor had ordered a surgical operation, but I had not time to wait, as the bad symptoms disappeared and I am once more strong, vigorous and well."

Female troubles are steadily on the increase among women. If the monthly periods are very painful, or too frequent and excessive—if you have pain or swelling low down in the left side, bearing-down pains, don't neglect yourself; try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

ing friends are prone to inflict on a newly wedded pair. At the wharf another large gathering had assembled for an informal reception, and the Wintharps had rendered popular airs until the steamer was well out in the bay, while the bride stood on deck graciously throwing kisses and waving farewell. The bride is a young lady of marked abilities and winning personality, and in the social and musical circles she was very prominent. She has attended the Boston Conservatory.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin B. Vinal and a descendant of one of the first families associated with the history of the town.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith. Mr. Smith is the well-known cashier of the Norway National bank, Norway.

The groom was a student at Bowdoin college but discontinued his studies to enter Shaw's Business college, of which he is a graduate. For the past eight years he has held a position of trust and responsibility with the L. C. Chase Co. Boston.

Both bride and groom are graduates of the class of 1892, Vinal and Norway high schools respectively.

The popularity of the couple resulted in an avalanche of china, cut glass, silver and hand embroidered linen and of the history of the town.

The list also included a miscellany of articles useful and ornamental, costly and the handwork of love; all of which will be given an honored place and grace the new home at Holt street, Waverly, Mass., where Mr. Smith will take his bride to reside.

**Home-Grown Meats.**  
If you do not like the odor that has recently been given to the Chicago dressed meats, it is a favorable time to encourage the production and slaughter of meats produced near where they are wanted for the condition is all right for human food.

Now is the time to begin a reform in this condition of the meat supply. If the demand is made for meats of nearby slaughter, and the long-dressed Chicago meats, sold at three or four cents a pound, are rejected, the animals for slaughter would soon increase among us, and the supply be forthcoming in the full measure demanded to meet the call.

Now is a favorable time to start such a movement. Call for home-dressed meats, and take no other. With such a call started, it would not be long before the slaughtering establishments of the East, now long closed, would again be open, and consume the surplus of meats in their natural juices, and free from the suspicion of preservatives, and not damaged by long-distance transportation. It is quite time for the demand for pure, sweet and healthful home-grown and nearby slaughtered meats to be made. Recent disclosures should hasten the movement.

**Maine State Sanatorium.**  
At a meeting of the trustees of the Maine State Sanatorium it was voted to erect a new building at Hebron, as soon as possible, to accommodate 24 patients. It was also voted to reconstruct the farm buildings. The following building committee were elected: Hiram Ricker, Poland Springs, Dr. S. H. Weeks, Portland, Dr. Estes Nichols, Hebron.

"Seasickness is a curious trouble," says a physician. "It is probably due to the disturbance caused by the motion of the ship to the little organs that govern the sense of equilibrium. In the inner ear are three little semi-circular canals. In movement in any plane the fluid in these canals disturbs, and telegraphs the sensation to the brain, which is then able to control the balance of the apparatus of the canal system. It is, it is suggested, thrown out of gear, and wildly telegraphs wrong messages to the brain. And that portion of the brain is intimately connected with the nerve that controls the happenings in the region whence the trouble arises. The whole system, in brief, is short-circuited."



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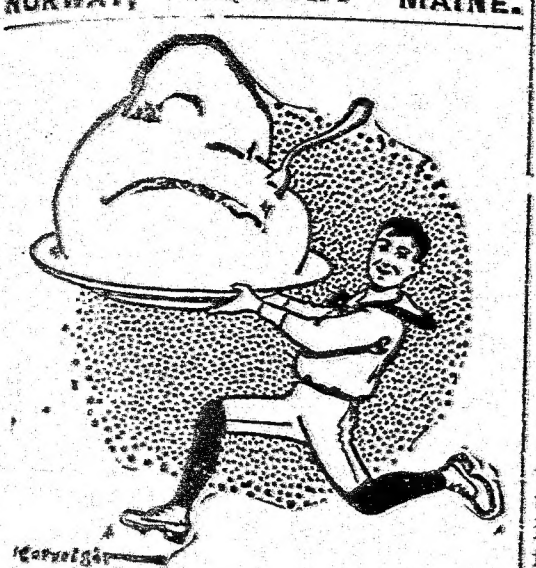
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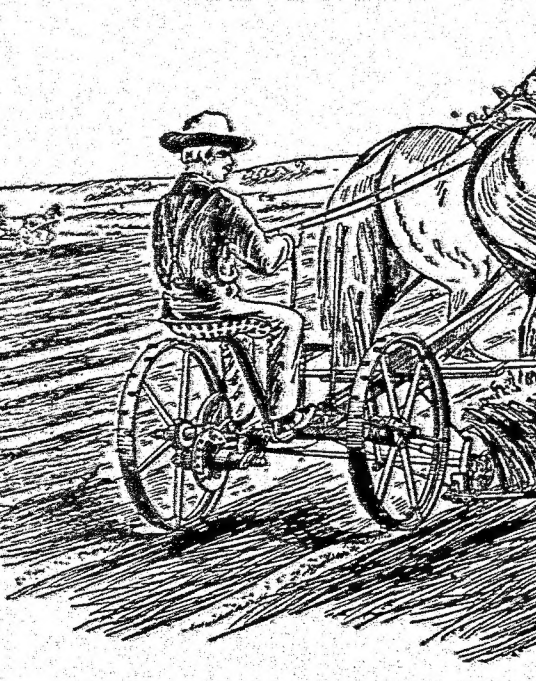
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My wife, Mabel F. Gilbert, having left my bed and board without provision, I hereby forbid anyone from harboring or trusting her on my account as I shall pay no bills contracted by her after this date.  
J. W. V. J. GILBERT  
June 24, 1906. Bethel, Maine.



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**A Brilliant Pansy Bed.**  
My neighbor has a pansy bed which is much admired. It is a large round bed out in the center of the side lawn where the sun kisses it all day long, and it looks as though a rainbow had been spilled on that particular spot so brilliant is the coloring. You see nothing of the green leaves the flowers are so numerous. "Do you pick the blossoms every day?" I asked.  
"No," she said, "only the seed pods; everyone who passes can enjoy them now. If I picked them they would give pleasure to but few."  
She made the bed and sowed the seed last August. They did not blossom any last year and when November came she covered the bed with a light covering of straw, and later above the straw she spread some old rag carpet. This spring when the covering was removed the plants were nice and thrifty. Every thing off the seed pods, excepting a few she wishes to ripen.  
This year she contemplates sowing another bed, as she says these plants will be too old another year. This fall she will pull up all the old plants and if enough have self sown, will cover the bed as she did last year.

**GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM**  
NORWAY, ME.  
In Effect June 24, 1906.

**DEPARTURES.**  
For Lewiston, Portland and Boston, 4:40 a. m., 9:35 a. m., 3:55 p. m., Sundays, 4:40 a. m., 3:55 p. m., 5:20 p. m.  
For Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 9:55 a. m., 10:05 p. m., Sundays, 9:55 a. m., 10:05 p. m.  
For Island Pond and way stations, 3:15 p. m., 10:05 p. m.

**ARRIVALS.**  
From Boston, Portland and Lewiston, 10:15 a. m., 3:35 p. m., 10:35 p. m., Sundays, 9:35 a. m., 10:05 p. m.  
From Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 10:15 a. m., 4:10 p. m., 5:00 a. m., 4:10 p. m., 6:10 p. m.  
From Island Pond and way stations, 9:50 a. m., 3:40 p. m., 10:15 p. m., 9:55 a. m., 10:05 p. m.

Sunday excursion to Berlin 9:55 a. m. and to Portland at 3:30 p. m.

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**BETHEL.**  
Robert Bisbee is soon expected home from Cuba.  
The Fourth passed off very quietly in Bethel this year.  
E. C. Bowler has bought G. R. Wiley's residence on Church street.  
Mrs. Nathan Bean is suffering with a large cancer on her left breast.  
Judge A. E. Herriok was elected one of the trustees of Bowdoin college.  
Fred Edwards is having an addition put on his barn on Vernon street.  
Robert Young of Cambridge, Mass. has been visiting relatives and friends in this village.  
Agnes Pratt of Bridgton has been spending a week with her cousin, Mrs. H. M. Farwell.  
D. C. Philbrook has had quite a large amount of cider and salt pork stolen from his cellar.

Robert and Ethel Sanborn are in Cottage City, Mass., where they are employed for the summer.  
Mrs. O. M. Mason is having extensive repairs done on the inside of her house, also having her lawn graded.  
Helen Bisbee has graduated from the Currie School of Expression, Boston, and is at home with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Bisbee.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lary and children Jersey City, N. J. have been in town. They have gone to Gilead, where the family will spend the summer. Mr. Lary about two weeks. Mrs. Alice Farwell has also gone to Gilead.  
Among our recent visitors are: George Fickett of Portland at J. C. Billings; Oscar Day and daughter, Bernice, of Salt Lake City, Utah; and Mrs. Fannie Duran at Mrs. Eva Rowe Fox's; Mrs. Hulda Barnes of Portland; Gale Carter of Rockland; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gorman of Berlin, N. H.; C. E. Arno of Gorham, N. H.; Mr. Arthur Richardson of Massachusetts at Ebenezer Richardson's; Mr. and Mrs. John Swan of South Framingham, Mass.; Fritz Goddard and son, Garde, of Rockville, Que., at Mrs. Anna Plasted's; Mr. and Mrs. David Hazzard and children of Berlin, N. H.

**HARTFORD.**  
Mrs. J. O. Widber is visiting friends in Auburn.  
Jetta Berry, who has been very ill, is slowly recovering.  
Mrs. J. J. Billings and little Harvey went to Ontario the 5th.  
Zilpha Higgins is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Canwell.  
Mildred Keene was the guest of May Alley several days last week.  
O. E. Turner and others attended the Democratic Convention at South Paris.  
Bethuel Cary is in poor health, has not fully recovered from his severe illness in the spring.  
Frank Kyerson, wife and baby visited his brother, Charles Kyerson, at Livermore, the 4th.  
Haying will be late in this vicinity as grass is very backward, some however, will begin the 9th.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Palmer spent the 4th with Mr. Palmer's sister, Mrs. H. W. Bonney, in Sumner.

**PORTERFIELD.**  
Mrs. Seth Day is caring for Mr. Day's sister, Mrs. Henry Hentress, who is very low with pneumonia.  
Etta Lewis and Evans Sargent of Kezar Falls spent the fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Lewis.  
Chas. Norton, who is working in Lowell, spent the fourth with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Norton.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard are in West Gorham. Mr. Howard is having, and Mrs. Howard is visiting at Mrs. Hancock's.

**PORTER CENTER.**  
Mrs. Wm. Mason is seriously sick.  
Henry Lumber called on Mrs. L. E. Norton, Monday.  
Mrs. C. A. Roberts and Lizzie Hoyt are making sale work for James Downs.  
Mrs. Aldo French is quite sick. Her doctor says she must submit to an operation.  
Jesse Libby spent Thursday afternoon with his friends, Ernest and Frankie Roberts.  
C. A. Roberts and family spent the fourth with Rev. James W. Perry at Cornish.

**HARRISON.**  
E. C. Willisons and family are located at the Elms Inn this season.  
Mrs. W. H. Bailey has been visiting her son, P. F. Bailey and wife, in Portland.  
There are now five autos in the village; rather a lively time with some of the horses.  
The summer company is fast filling up the hotels and boarding houses. Hotel Harrison and Elms Inn, with four or five others, will make Harrison village a lively place for a few weeks.  
The special police appointed by the selectmen for the night before the Fourth had the desired effect; ringing of bells, a few crackers, and now and then a horn was all that was heard, and signs, blinds, etc., were in their proper places in the morning.

**Swampville.**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ames have visited their daughter.  
Robinson Edwards has been visiting at Sumner Smith's.  
Mrs. Annie Robinson is one of the nicest teachers in town. The summer school taught by Mrs. Robinson has been a very progressive term.  
**SOUTH PARIS.**  
A semi-annual meeting of the Universalist parish is to be called Monday evening, July 16, to hear the reports of the officers. Any work that needs the special attention of the trustees for the next six months will be considered, and provision will be made for any expense that the work may call for.  
**Bolster District.**  
O. E. Pratt is on the sick list.  
Ahira Smith of Bethel, was at J. S. Brown's last Tuesday.  
A. M. York of Caribou, is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. C. Toye.  
Eunice Forbes is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Swift.  
On his eighth birthday, which occurred last Monday, Bertie Wheeler entertained a party of his young friends.  
Henry Pratt and sisters, Margaret and Ruth, and brother Arthur of Orange, N. J., are passing a few weeks at the home of Walter Sweet.  
The United States treasurer in his latest report says the country needs more \$5 bills. We noticed it some time ago.

**Writing Business Letters.**  
Where Many Writers Fail—The Fault of Poor Manners.  
"I know," said a business man of wide experience, "how crowded with studies the schools are now, and with decision of any new ones; but I wish some times that the boys and girls who are giving time to so many little facts could be induced to give more to the art of writing letters."  
He did not refer to the mere art of writing correct English or the art of writing an interesting personal letter, but to the preparation of really good business letters in which the matter in hand should be treated not only clearly and concisely, but also courteously.

These are mentioned in one which is felt by thousands of business men and people of both sexes who look forward to business life. The ability to write intelligently is not rare, but the capacity to write in such a way as to produce a pleasant personal feeling for the reader is extremely rare.  
Many writers fail in the matter of courtesy—either in the way of omission of articles and constant abbreviation, or, more commonly, in neglecting to give the other man the benefit of the doubt. In other words the fault with most business letters is a fault of poor manners rather than of mental deficiency.  
In any circumstances, allow to your first letter, in case of difference, to be harsh or discourteous. No matter how much you think the man has injured you, give him the benefit of the doubt. Assume that he has made a mistake rather than that he has misrepresented. To take the other course is to enter a blind alley. You may have to turn around to get out of it.

**NORTH PARIS.**  
Ernest Mason is haying for A. D. Andrews.  
Charles W. Fields is visiting at E. E. Fields'.  
Mrs. Sanborn of Bethel is visiting her son, Ernest Mason.  
Hood crops are looking well and grass though winter killed in places promises a fair crop.  
David Andrews had a horse die in his pasture here recently, cause unknown. It was a five year old horse and valuable.  
W. W. Andrews of Portland and two children, are visiting at A. D. Andrews'. His wife and other children are coming this week.  
Rev. D. B. Dow and wife of Oldtown, are visiting at B. K. Dow's for a few days. They have been to Ware, N. H., to the Epworth League meeting.

**GREENWOOD.**  
Albert Bryant and Aubrey Miller have got through working for Aaron Cox.  
Freeland Herriok had peaches and new potatoes out of his garden, Sunday, the 8th.  
Hannah Bryant from South Woodstock, is stopping with Lottie Cox for a while.  
Quite a number from this place attended the celebration, July 4th, at West Paris.  
Charlie Cox and Arthur Cox were the guests of their brother, Aaron Cox, over Sunday.  
Freeland Herriok and Aaron Cox have been working for Walter Penley on the farm, for a few days.  
Work has commenced on the new schoolhouse in the Martin district so called. The job of work would have been nearly completed by this time had not some one discovered a little informality in the proceedings, thus making it necessary to call another town meeting.

**Improved the Farms.**  
Many farms could be improved to sell in the future for from \$500 to \$1,000 more than the present value by making improvements, the expense of which would hardly be felt at all.  
Trees in the right place are always a good investment and cost next to nothing but the trouble of planting them. The city buyer is quite captivated to find one or two thrifty elms in front of the homestead, and a number of scattered chestnut, shellbark and sugar maple trees in the pastures; while any buyer, however practical, will pay more for a farm with a promising fruit orchard. Almost anything can be bought to order except full-grown trees, and the farm seeker is aware of the fact.  
The selling value of the farm is greatly increased by keeping things in good repair. Begin with the front yard by fencing out the chickens, mowing the grass, and cutting it three or four times a year instead of once. Repair the fences and keep down all straggling bushes. If the buildings are not kept neat and good repair the place always looks run down and is, therefore, hard to sell.  
It has been found when good roads are built that the value of all farms in the section has increased to a great extent. The farmer who wishes to increase the value of his property should put himself in the place of a probable buyer, and ask himself what changes would make the place more desirable. It often happens that a small change, like draining a wet spot, or moving an outhouse, or repairing a bridge, will change the whole impression made by the first sight of the place. Indeed, when the work of home improvement is once begun the owner is so interested that his anxiety to sell at all is much decreased.

Virgin Bros. of Rumford Falls have purchased the old coat factory in Meigs, Maine, and it is understood that the building will be torn down and a new factory will be erected on what is called the Perkins plant, previously purchased by the Virgin Bros., situated near the Portland & Rumford Falls railway.  
It is now considered that Geo. Stowell of Dixfield, who was badly burned by the explosion of powder while celebrating the Fourth, will not lose the sight of his eyes as was at first reported. His face was very badly burned, however, and an eye specialist was summoned from Portland.  
Two fires in Rumford Falls the 4th. George Gagne's house in Ridgely, lost \$25,000; insured for \$1300. Edward A. Allen's house on Congress street, lost \$5000; insured.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Farrington of Lovell Center were in Norway Friday. They are the owners of the Lake View house near Lake Kezar, a very pleasant home for summer people.

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**Two Envelopes, the Style.**  
A girl in town, who recently complained that her letter paper of finest quality from a stationer of note showed the writing through the envelope, did not know that the latest notion is to put within the envelope a second colored one.  
These linings are of red, or a soft shade of turquoise blue, or of violet, and show through the paper just enough, to hint at the color inside without seeming bizarre, as strong colors used with stationery usually do.  
There's no color about the paper itself. It is only the envelope which needs to be made opaque, and these color- ings accomplish the purpose most successfully.  
The quaintest thing about some of them is the way the inner envelope slips in and out of place, while others have the lining made up with the outside, the color, perhaps, showing where the edges lap. A tiny arrangement at one corner—an extension of the same color as the lining—is for the purpose of tearing the envelope open quickly.  
New monograms are smaller, the newest, most popular of all being a heavy circle—hardly bigger round than the usual pencil is—with the initials done in short, broad letters, mounted, where there are only two, one upon the other, both of them stretching out to touch the circle on each side.

**Interesting Fireplace.**  
One of the most interesting points in the Rangeley lake region is the new camp recently designed by John E. Stephens of Rumford Falls, which contains the most original and the most unique fireplace of the entire region. Three rows of brick top the fireplace, and give a symmetrical line at the mantle.  
Down each side of the fireplace are two single rows of brick, and between these two rows are smooth pebbles from Egypt Beach, Mass., laid in cement. The arch is also outlined with two rows of brick, and in the space beneath the arch and the mantle are rare and curious specimens of rocks, gems and other curios. In the center of the space is a piece of onyx from McFarlane, which is oval in shape and polished and beveled like a mirror.  
Around this, disposed with an eye for effect and juxtaposition, are various specimens of granite, quartz crystals, tourmalines from the several mines in Maine and elsewhere, the collection including a piece of granite from Morro Castle.

There are also numerous specimens of iron pyrites, and quartz from Mt. Gilman, the gold mine of Roxbury. Fossil shells from Alleghany, lava rock from Mt. Ararat, moss agate and copper ore from Arizona, and rose quartz from Mt. Mica, which, if clear, would be very valuable for the quartz balls dear to the Japanese heart.  
Artistically placed among the specimens are black tourmalines, black diamonds, garnets, hand-made specimens of green tinted beryl, and prominent in the geological collection are also some bits from the world of natural history, including sharks' teeth and Indian relics, such as arrow heads, mortar, chisel and similar tools.  
These are the harvest of personal trips by Mr. Stephens, and souvenirs sent to him, and many are interested and familiar with his love for the rare and curious. The camp is visited by many strangers, who have heard of its beauty and its interest, and many cameras are leveled at it.

**At "Nigger Tom."**  
Hastings and vicinity has this interesting history. The civil war, a negro who was owned by a rich southern planter, escaped from his master, and by means of the underground railway came to this section of Maine, then a gigantic wilderness. Up by the northern border he found a valley that promised peace and contentment. Gilead was the nearest settlement, some eight miles distant, but Negro Tom, as the settlers called him, was frightened at the approach of civilization. Rumors that he had immense sums of gold secreted about his house drew many people to the little valley.  
One day, when the war was at its height, a stranger appeared at Negro Tom's cabin and told Tom stories that increased his fear of the danger of capture by the slaveholders. He was thoroughly frightened, and readily agreed to giving up his farm in return for being helped over the Canadian border. With his gold wrapped in a large red handkerchief, the negro stole through the woods for Canada. There ends his history. No one in the little valley has ever heard from the ex-slave.

We were interested in the account of the new motor car made for a Boston millionaire, which is equipped with a cook stove and dining table, a combination bed and bureau and other conveniences which makes it a veritable hotel on wheels. This is certainly a great device and ought to prove popular. Now when the millionaire gets stalled on the road, he can proceed to make himself thoroughly at home, instead of having to walk back.

The world-famous tourmaline mine at Mount Mica is still yielding its fruits. A large pocket was opened recently, and was found well-filled with green tourmaline of good color and a few of good size. This is certainly an excellent beginning for the present season. Last summer was a fruitless one, no pockets having been discovered during the entire summer's operations on the ledge.  
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